

LITTLE HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED IN NEAR EAST PARLEY

Those Engaged Feel Final Reckoning Must Come

(By The Associated Press)
LAUSANNE, Dec. 27.—Great uneasiness is spreading thruout Near East conference circles as the time approaches when there must be a final reckoning on all important questions which have been passed by with only partial agreement at all between the Turks and the allied powers.
Lord Curzon's positive announcement today that Great Britain will not cede Mosul to Turkey and does not propose to discuss that question further was the forerunner of less positive statements from the other delegations on various questions which indicates that the conference is reaching a climax and that preparations are under way for a final showing of strength.
The sub-commissions are making little progress. Risa Nur Bey was less truculent today in the sub-commission on minorities but the Christmas rest apparently did not improve the temper of the Turks materially, and the allied delegations are clearly becoming less tractable in reparation for a final statement of the maximum they will yield.
Indications are that this final round will come early next week and the contending parties are so far apart on capitulations, control of the straits and the rights of minorities that the outcome is uncertain.
It is clear that further meetings of the commissions and sub-commissions will be of little use. Seemingly everyone has talked and every foot of ground between Mount Ararat and the Garden of Eden has been traversed. Old testament history has been reviewed from Genesis to Malachi, poets, historians, soothsayers, who trace their lineage directly back to Adam and Eve, have presented their claims, ecclesiastics, soldiers and statesmen of many races, languages and religions have been heard. The hopper is filled to overflowing and now the mill is starting to grind. Kurds, Arabs, Assyro-Chaldeans, Armenians, Greeks, Turks, Bulgarians and Russians are watching with tense interest as the allied leaders meet daily in private conferences which are really deciding what the map of Asia Minor shall be.
Lord Curzon, Marquis Di Gironi and M. Barre have a long discussion today on the capitulations, which after Mosul off is probably the most stubborn question for settlement. The allied delegates returned this evening plainly discouraged after several hours discussion with the Turks on economic capitulations. The Turks made it clear that they wanted the right to give preferential treatment to their own manufacturers in the matter of taxation and justified their attitude by saying that it was necessary to protect Turkish industries. In other words foreigners would not only lose their preferential economic position which they are ready to lose in the interest of their own country but must meet Turkish competition which would be strengthened by exemption from certain taxes imposed on foreigners. A complete deadlock exists on the customs tariff question.

RESTRaining ORDER ISSUED BY COURT

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Circuit Judge Rush today restrained T. J. Huston, Illinois superintendent of insurance from threatening any insurance company with revocation of its license to do business in the state as a punishment for accepting business from Harry Davis, an insurance agent.

Davis, some months ago, procured an injunction against the Columbian National Life Insurance company and the Aetna Life Insurance company and officials of those companies and Superintendent Huston charging a conspiracy to ruin his business.
The injunction order was modified today to restrain Huston and the other defendants from interfering with the business of the complainant or threatening to do any lawful act with a view to interfering with Davis' business.

BIG INCREASE IN TAX COLLECTIONS

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Nearly 50 per cent more tax money was collected during the fiscal year of 1922 than in 1921 in Cook county including Chicago, according to the report of County Treasurer Cary today. The total collections in 1922 in taxes were \$123,610,025 and the total on special assessments was \$4,500,000. Cash on hand at the end of the fiscal year was \$23,028,205.

DIXON, Ill., Dec. 27.—Mrs. C. M. Walter, wife of the pastor of St. John's Lutheran church of this city, died last night following an operation.

TURKS WILL LET GREEK VESSELS IN BLACK SEA PORTS

Nationalists So Notify the American Embassy Wednesday.

(By The Associated Press)
CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 27.—The Turkish Nationalist government has notified the American embassy that it has decided to permit Greek vessels to enter the Black Sea ports for the embarkation of Christian refugees from Asia Minor on condition that the ships are not under the Greek flag and that they be escorted by and under surveillance of American destroyers.

This is a complete reversal of policy on the part of the Ankara government which only a short time ago categorically refused a request for such permission transmitted by the American authorities here. The new move follows the Turkish concession restoring to Christians full freedom to leave Anatolia whenever they desired. Both changes of front are believed to have resulted from the pressure brought to bear on the Turks at the Lausanne conference particularly from the American delegation. As soon as the new decision became known the American Near East Relief began extending its rescue machinery to include adults as well as orphans and wireless messages were sent to all its Black Sea coastal and interior stations.

Greek steamers which had been waiting at the Golden Horn were soon under way, accompanied by American destroyers. An American relief worker is traveling aboard each ship and all the vessels are well stocked with foodstuffs provided by the Near East Relief. Bases for the conveying destroyers are established at the American naval authorities at Samsun, the principal embarkation point on the Black Sea, in Bosphorus, at Constantinople and at Præus, Greece, from which port refugee ships are starting.

SCOTT M'BRIDE IS RECOMMENDED FOR PROHIBITION POST

Senator McKinley Sponsor of Dry Leader for the Job.

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The vacancy in the post of prohibition commissioner of Illinois is expected by the senators of that state to be filled by Commissioner Haynes within a few days. Senator McKinley has endorsed for the place Scott McBride, head of the state anti-saloon league and Senator McCormick recommended W. I. McCauley, former state commander of the American Legion.

It is understood that if the latter is not selected McCormick is insistent that some American Legion member be appointed. Other mentioned for the place include L. K. Torbett, former naval officer of Chicago for whom it is said Mr. Haynes indicated a preference last month and Robert Huck, who is being urged by some members of the house.

Senator McCormick stated today that he and Senator McKinley would unite in recommending some one for the appointment but did not indicate who would be their choice.

Senator McKinley gave no intimation that he was withdrawing support from Mr. McBride.

PLANT GRAIN WITH AIRPLANE

(By The Associated Press)
FRESNO, Calif., Dec. 27.—Experimenting with grain planting from an airplane Richard Deane left here today with 800 pounds of seed grain for a test flight over Lake Tulare.

He wants to demonstrate to owners of Tulare Lake bottomland how in-accessible for planting because of the sloping ground condition that the airplane may be adapted. If the test is a success some 20,000 acres are expected to be sown in grain this year. Harry Eastward representing a land company declared that airplane sowing will eliminate the need of turning the soil after planting. He expects that the fall of grain from the air will bury it deeply enough without any cultivation.

CAPTURE FOUR OF ESCAPED PRISONERS

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 27.—Four of the seven prisoners who escaped from the Wayne County jail here Sunday were captured by police tonight after a gun fight in which one of the fugitives was seriously wounded. The men are Joseph Ryan, Cyril Hansen, Donald Smith and Frank Crynbalski.

Ryan was wounded in the abdomen when he resisted officers who found the escaped prisoners in an east side apartment building.

TWO BURN TO DEATH IN BOARDING HOUSE FIRE

Gastonia, S. C., Dec. 27.—Two men were burned to death, one other is missing and a woman was injured as a result of a fire which destroyed a boarding house and two other buildings today at Bressmer City near here.

MORE EVIDENCE IS BEING SOUGHT IN MER ROUGE CRIMES

Follow Suspect Trail for Distance of 25 Miles

(By The Associated Press)
BASTROP, La., Dec. 27.—Civil and military authorities today followed thru the red low hills and swamps of Morehouse Parish the trail they believe was taken by the masked and robed men on the afternoon and night of August 24 when five men were kidnapped and two murdered. The trail covered about 25 miles from a point on the Bastrop-Mer Rouge highway where the men were kidnapped to a ferry landing at Lake LaFourche near where the bodies of two of them were found last week.

The reconnoiterers were seeking additional evidence implicating those responsible for the mysterious dynamiting that released the bodies from the bottom of the lake where they had been weighted down four months.

The day was devoid of local developments. All eyes were turned towards Baltimore where Dr. B. M. McKoin, former Mer Rouge mayor, was battling against extradition to Louisiana where he is to face a charge of murder in connection with the case.

It developed today that there will be unlimited funds available and countless friends to assist the physician. His friends in Morehouse and adjoining parishes were lining up in his behalf. Many messages of reassurance were sent his family at Monroe, where his wife, four children and parents reside. Governor Parker at Baton Rouge conferred with Special Prosecutor St. Clair Adams, one of the state's best criminal lawyers, regarding the course to be followed in the McKoin extradition.

Requisition papers on the governor of Maryland are being prepared. Attorney General Cocco and his assistants reached New Orleans today to outline the plans for the January open hearing and discuss the investigation program. The attorney general declared evidence would show Daniels and Richards had been tortured before being put to death.

The events of each succeeding day are more sharply dividing the people of the Mer Rouge community. The town and the outlying sections are regarded as armed camps. State troops are stationed here to prevent an outbreak.

MORE STORIES OF SEA TERROR TOLD

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—More stories of terror at sea were brought into New York today when the Steamer LaSavoie steamed into Quarantine 48 hours late. It was the third successive day that shippers of incoming ships had reported terrific hurricanes sweeping the Atlantic.

LaSavoie reported picking up a series of S. O. S. from the Steamship Touderstar and then hearing no more from her. This led the French liner's officers to believe the Touderstar might have gone down, but the freighter's agents later heard reports that she had been taken in tow by a rescue ship.

Shortly after LaSavoie came in the Cunarder Caronia arrived and once more the stories of hurricanes and heavy waves were told. At one time during the storm Captain Doggie, her skipper said the Caronia canted at an angle of 24 to 25 degrees. Port holes on both sides of the ship were shattered.

The Caronia put into Halifax Christmas morning to escape the battering of the waves and was delayed 48 hours in making New York.

Masters of outgoing ships scanned the heavens anxiously today for a warning was issued by the weather bureau this afternoon predicting gales from Delaware breakwater to Eastport, Me.

THE DAY'S EVENTS IN WASHINGTON

Resuming sessions after a Christmas recess, the house took up the interior department appropriation bill.

The senate banking committee which has been holding hearings on various rural credit proposals began drafting of a composite bill.

Inquiry to determine the adequacy of railroad rolling stock and practices controlling its use and interchange was ordered by the interstate commerce commission. Disclosure was made by Senator Lodge during debate in the senate on the Borah proposal for an economic and armament conference that President Harding was negotiating toward an international conference for the consideration of European economic problems. The Borah proposal as framed was opposed by administration senators.

M'Koin Will Fight Against Extradition

(By The Associated Press)
BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 27.—Hearing on the writ of habeas corpus obtained today by counsel for Dr. McKoin former mayor of Mer Rouge, La., was set for tomorrow.

Dr. McKoin was arrested here yesterday on the charge of murder by request of Governor Parker of Louisiana as an outgrowth of the Morehouse Parish murder and kidnapping cases. The writ was obtained in an effort to obtain bail for the doctor prior to his fight against extradition.

Requisition papers issued by Governor Parker on Governor Ritchie for the return to Louisiana of Dr. McKoin are not expected to reach here for two or three days.

Meanwhile friends of Dr. McKoin are rallying to his assistance. Telegrams were received today from many persons pledging their moral and financial support. Among them was one from two physicians signing themselves as fellows of the American College of Surgeons. Another telegram from the Central Savings and Trust company of Mer Rouge, La. offered to deposit any amount of money in a local bank in an effort to obtain release of Dr. McKoin. Dr. Hugh Young head of the Brady Institute of the Johns Hopkins Medical School with whom Dr. McKoin has been associated since he arrived here last October '11, made public the telegrams received. That from the trust company read:

"The Central Savings and Trust company of Mer Rouge will indemnify you to any amount you might incur as a result of the arrest of Dr. McKoin. The bank will deposit in any bank in Baltimore sufficient funds to cover any bonds you might pledge for Dr. McKoin."

Knows Nothing About Deaths
In an interview with newspapermen, prior to his arraignment in police court this morning, Dr. McKoin stated he was unable to throw any light on the deaths of Thomas Richards and Watt Daniels, whose mutilated bodies were found several days ago in Lake LaFourche, near Mer Rouge.

"At one time," Dr. McKoin said, "I was willing to go back and tell them all I could about conditions at Mer Rouge but now I will fight requisition to the last ditch."

While angered at his arrest Dr. McKoin is inclined to treat the matter lightly. He said he could account for every hour prior to the kidnapping of the murdered men and every minute since their mysterious disappearance. Former United States Attorney Carlen of counsel for the accused doctor, would fight any effort at extradition by the Louisiana governor.

"Dr. McKoin did not flee from Louisiana after the trouble at Mer Rouge," he said. "He remained there for three weeks after the death of the two men. In October he came to Baltimore at the request of Dr. Young who offered to permit him to associate with him at the Johns Hopkins hospital."

"The mayor placed himself at the disposal of the district attorney of the county seat and was in consultation with him a long time before he left. There was no reason for him to hide."

Lawlessness in Illinois makes mockery of ideals. J. O. Engleman of Joliet declares in address at Springfield.

(By The Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 27.—An attack on lawlessness in Illinois, in which he said had made a mockery of the ideals given the state by Grant and Logan and Lincoln, was uttered here tonight before the Illinois State Teachers' convention by its president, J. O. Engleman, of Joliet.

Mr. Engleman, who is field secretary for the National Educational association roused the large gathering of teachers in the hall of representatives a few minutes after the opening of the first session by declaring that civilization was in the balance and challenging the teachers to be worthy of their name by standing for a new moral code as the basis of education.

"Our state has been disgraced by notorious examples of murder, graft, lawlessness and violations of public trust," he declared. "It has become a mockery to sing 'Illinois the state of Grant and Logan and Lincoln in the light of our present chapters of history.'"

A reorganization of education in the public schools on a moral rather than an intellectual basis, to stay the sway of this lawlessness, was advocated by President Engleman. He deplored "the ebbing of the tide of fine idealism which inspired us during the war" and denounced what he termed "the evidence of a growing selfish class-consciousness in America."

The effects of alcoholic liquor should be taught in the schools and stress should be laid more on its social and economic effects, he said than on its chemical and psychological results.

The eighteenth amendment to the constitution is treated with contempt not merely by bootleggers, but by citizens of such standing that disregard for all law is given high sanction by their actions and their attitude," he said. "The paraphrase of Emerson, 'What men are and what they do' is ringing so loudly in the ears of school children that it is doubly difficult to hear what we teach in the classroom."

At a meeting of the county superintendents' section the following officers were elected: President, W. W. McCulloch, Livingston county; Vice president, May S. Hawkins, Puleks county; Secretary, Lavina O'Neil, Brown county; Treasurer, E. H. Lukenhill, Logan county; Executive Committee, F. A. Simpson, Lake; Hattie M. Blair, Marion; Rollin L. Scott, Greene.

The association of attendance officers elected the following: President, Miss Hazel Cowell of Joliet; Vice President, Thomas J. Francis, Galesburg; Secretary, Treasurer, Mrs. G. L. Sherman, of Springfield.

FOUR HELD AS ROBBER SUSPECTS
New Orleans, La., Dec. 27.—Four persons, two men and two women arrested last night as suspects in the holdup and robbery of five bank messengers of the Drovers National Bank of Kansas City on December 12, in which \$97,000 was obtained left tonight for Kansas City in custody of two private detectives.

POINCARÉ WOULD TAKE OVER THE GERMAN FORESTS

Plans to Follow Decision of Reparations Commission

(By The Associated Press)
PARIS, Dec. 27.—Premier Poincaré plans to follow up the reparations commission's decision declaring Germany in default of her wood deliveries by presenting to the allied premiers meeting here next week a scheme for taking over the German state forests as a guarantee. If the other premiers will not agree to step in it is understood that France is prepared to act alone.

It is now feared that the British and French views will be as far apart when the premiers reconvene as they were when the recent London conference adjourned and the latest reparations development is taken to support this view. Sir John Bradbury went to London today to confer with Premier Bonar Law on the effect of the reparations commission's action and on the question of the general British policy.

Sir John's reasons for refusing to support the default vote which reasons, it is thought, may be taken as a reflection of the position of Mr. Bonar Law, were that certain extenuating circumstances entitled Germany to more lenient consideration and that furthermore the allies previously had agreed on a course less radical in the event of Germany's failure to make the deliveries.

France's victory in the reparations commission vote is ascribed to the personal efforts of Premier Poincaré who is said to have carefully planned the coup. The action was so quietly and swiftly executed that none of the American unofficial observers had the opportunity of being present. Altho the United States has no vote in the commission the views of its observers have had much weight, especially when a vital issue was before the commission as was the case yesterday.

It is declared in reparations circles that the position of the American observers has been appreciated that of the British. The commission's sudden decision took not only the Americans but French political circles by surprise, since it was generally understood that the commissioners would take no decision until the premier's meeting.

CANADIAN INDIANS WANT HOME RULE

(By The Associated Press)
MONTREAL, Dec. 27.—A demand for home rule similar to that enjoyed by Ireland and expression of a hope that present troubles might be smoothed with out bloodshed were included in a letter sent today by the chiefs of the Caughnawagas Indian tribes to minister of Indian Affairs Stewart.

Discussions reparations made to the government after a pow-wow of chiefs, one of the older Indian leaders declared the right of self government was given to the Caughnawagas by treaty with Great Britain.

"We are willing to live peacefully with Canada," he said, "but if Ireland can have independence so can we."

SHORTAGE IN WOOD DELIVERY EXPLAINED

(By The Associated Press)
BERLIN, Dec. 27.—In connection with the reparations commission's decision that Germany is in default for non delivery of wood to apply on the reparations account it is stated here that the content of the demand did not arrive until January whereas the cutting of the wood regularly occurs in the course of the winter, thus the demand arrived too late to make compliance possible this year. Attention also is called to the fact that Germany has announced her readiness to make the delayed deliveries suggesting March 31, next as the time limit.

Leading German industrialists are complaining that they are obliged to go outside the country for wood with which to build dwellings for their working men.

GERMANY MUST GIVE GUARANTEES

(By The Associated Press)
BRUSSELS, Dec. 27.—Referring in the senate today to the approaching gathering of the premiers for the conference in Paris, M. Jasper, foreign minister, said it would be impossible to grant Germany a moratorium pure and simple without guarantees.

Regarding the nature of the guarantees he asked the senate to give Premier Theunis the privilege of following the example of the other interested governments by refraining from specifying them.

NO SOLUTION IS FOUND IN DEATH OF YOUNG GIRL

Most Creditable Theory Is That She Was Accidentally Shot.

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—More than 36 hours after they began their investigation the police tonight confessed themselves baffled in their search for a solution of circumstances surrounding the death of Theresa McCarty, 10 year old school girl, whose body with a 22 calibre bullet thru the heart was found in a toy-littered room of her Brooklyn home yesterday. The theory considered most creditable by the police was that the child was accidentally shot by a playmate who had been given a gun of small caliber as a Christmas present.

Another theory in which the police say they had little faith was that the child was shot down by a sailor of whom Theresa and several of her girl friends had complained several weeks ago, declaring he had annoyed them.

An autopsy today by Medical Examiner Norris provided the principal grounds for theory of accidental death. The medical examiner said the girl had not been assaulted.

The 22 calibre soft nose bullet that passed thru the heart he found went straight thru the body, indicating that the gun muzzle was on a level with the child's breast at the time of explosion. Powder marks indicated that the shot had been fired at close range. The police re-examined the girl's father, Edward McCarty, a painter who has been separated from the girl's mother, Mrs. Pauline McCarty for several years. They declared he had successfully accounted for his actions yesterday.

MORE THAN THIRTY INJURED WHEN DUST EXPLODES IN MILL

Fire Which Follows Destroys Mill With \$150,000 Loss

(By The Associated Press)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 27.—More than 30 men are injured and burned, some perhaps fatally, and three are reported missing as the result of a dust explosion and fire at the mill of the Schreiber Flour and Cereal company this afternoon. The plant was destroyed with an estimated loss of from \$125,000 to \$150,000.

Twenty six persons were given emergency treatment at the general hospital and 13 were transferred to private hospitals for further treatment. Several others were treated at police headquarters.

C. T. Schreiber, manager of the mill said today all employees had been accounted for.

The mill was a five story structure, with few openings, making it difficult for the flames to make headway against the flames. The fire which started in a threatened sewer at a time when the mill was under control within an hour after the explosion the explosion was caused by sparks from motors in the opinion of Alex Henderson, fire chief.

WIFE THANKS HUSBAND FOR SAVING HER LIFE

(By The Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Lewis Watkins, lying on a hospital bed here tonight recovering from revolver wounds inflicted by her husband, thanked him for his life.

With blood flowing from a wound he had inflicted on himself, Watkins beat over the body of his wife in a downtown apartment, pressed a silver spoon to a severed artery in her arm, tied it tightly with a cloth and stopped the flow of blood, this act performed in a moment of remorse, after he thought he had fatally shot her is what saved Mrs. Watkins' life, physicians stated.

Mrs. Watkins had started divorce proceedings against her husband. He called this afternoon to talk over their difficulties. A quarrel ensued. Watkins shot his wife twice and then turned the gun on himself, inflicting a scalp wound.

Watkins is in jail charged with attempted murder and also with violating an injunction issued some time ago restraining him from disturbing his wife.

PEABODY'S DAUGHTER IS GRANTED DIVORCE

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Mrs. May Henderson Peabody Stillwell, daughter of the late Francis S. Peabody, wealthy coal operator was granted a divorce today from Addison Stillwell wealthy lumberman on her charges of desertion. Mrs. Stillwell was awarded custody of the three children.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 27.—Edgar C. Frady, awaiting trial here for the alleged murder of his wife last January, was somewhat stronger today as the result of the second transfusion of blood yesterday, physicians at the hospital announced.

SENATOR LODGE OPENS FIGHT ON BORAH PROPOSAL

Would Embarrass Efforts Now Being Made by Harding

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The first official disclosure that President Harding is negotiating toward an international conference for the consideration of European economic problems was made by Senator Lodge, Republican floor leader, opening debate in the senate today on the proposal of Senator Borah, Republican, for the president to call an international conference to discuss economic conditions and disarmament.

In opposing the Borah proposal which is in the form of an amendment to the naval appropriation bill Senator Lodge urged that the president be not embarrassed in the efforts to x x x which he is now making as a matter of fact.

Senator Lodge in an hour's address against the Borah amendment as presented did not oppose the calling of an economic conference but said it should be carefully and strictly defined with such questions as reparations, allied debts and immigration specially excluded from consideration.

It was learned that President Harding was considering seriously transmitting a letter to the senate giving information of his negotiations and despoiling any intervention from congress which might operate to hinder his efforts. It is understood that thru the state department the president "has been sounding out" several powers regarding the desirability of holding an economic conference.

Secretary Hughes conferred with the president for an hour today but there was no intimation of whether the conference related to the economic conference discussions.

The Borah amendment was discussed for four hours in the senate, Senators Lodge and Lenroot, Republican, Wisconsin, speaking in opposition and Senators Borah and Williams, Democrat, in behalf of the proposal.

The opening debate on the amendment developed the full force of administration disapproval for it as drafted, and also by-partisan support and opposition.

Administration leaders mapped out a program to defeat the amendment on a preliminary point of order if possible and on a direct vote if the preliminary point should fail. Before the senate convened about 30 Republican senators planned the fight against the proposal. It was arranged that Senator Poincaré, Republican, of Washington, in charge of the naval bill should make the point of order that the amendment was not germane and went far beyond the provision incorporated in the bill by the house for a conference to consider armament limitation with reference to naval vessels of 10,000 tons or less and to military and naval aircraft.

Republican and also Democratic leaders said they believed the preliminary point will be sustained and the Borah amendment thrown out.

President Discusses Amendment.
The Borah amendment was discussed by President Harding today with Senator Curtis of Kansas assistant Republican leader, and Representative Mondell of Wyoming, Republican leader in the house, during a visit on another subject.

Senator Sterling, Republican, of South Dakota, was in conference with the president tonight.

Declarations against cancellation of European debts to America and withdrawal of American troops from the Rhine were prominent in the discussion.

Senators Lodge and Lenroot contended the allied debts should not be cancelled and that they should not be brought before a conference on European affairs.

Return of American troops on the Rhine was discussed by Senators Lodge, Borah and Reed, Democrat, Missouri, the latter introducing an amendment to the Borah rider providing for their withdrawal.

Senator Lodge based his opposition to the Borah economic conference proposal on the ground that it was too broad in terms.

Senator Borah in an impassioned address in behalf of his proposal declared that Europe's economic life had become American questions thru their effect upon the economic and business life of this country. Europe, he said, was on the brink, with another world war, into which the United States would be drawn in prospect, if present conditions should continue another year.

FORMER A. A. U. STAR TO COACH DE PAUW

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 27.—William D. Hayes, former National A. A. U. sprint champion and star in the 100 and 220 yard dashes will become coach of the DePauw University track team. Hayes signed his contract several days ago and will take up his duties about February 1.

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A THOUGHT

A wrathful man stirreth up strife, but he that is slow to anger appeaseth strife.—Proverbs 15:1, 18.

ANGER is like
A full hot horse, who, being
allowed his way,
Self-mettle tires him.
—Shakespeare.

Four murders occurred in Williamson county on Christmas day. These crimes committed in various parts of the county had no relation to the coal industry but do give indication of the general atmosphere of lawlessness that prevails in that area. In other words the county lives up to its reputation.

Just about the only discordant note in the business outlook is the news item that the B. & O. railroad has laid off several hundred men in the maintenance of way department. The explanation is that the strike period was so costly that the road management feels the need of some retrenchment in expenses. Just another bit of evidence is furnished that strikes always mean loss to everybody concerned.

In Kankakee and Urbana successful campaigns have been put on wherein the people within a few weeks time subscribed enough funds to make possible new hotel

buildings. In Effingham, Henry county and a number of other cities new hotel projects have been put over within a year past and the buildings are now in service.

So the experiences of other cities leads naturally to the belief that a new hotel building can and will be secured for Jacksonville. The need exists, a way of financing can be found and about all that remains is for some organized effort to be put forth to ask the public to join in the project.

Methodists have just been given authority to erect in the loop district in Chicago a church tower which will be the highest in the world. A great building in the heart of the metropolis is to house a church and business offices. This combination of religious and business enterprises will be something new.

Possibly the members of the church will have to get along without the joy of giving and let the rentals of the offices pay the church operation costs. Be that as it may the fact of handsome church edifices in about the busiest area in the world will of itself wield a powerful religious influence.

"I gave away a basket of eatables to a needy family on Christmas day," said one Jacksonville man, "and I did not feel especially charitable in doing so." Continuing he said, "Why, I try to have the Christmas spirit all the year round and to do some good to those with whom I come in contact as opportunity offers."

The words were not spoken with self complacency but in truth the man who can live up to the ideal of showing the Christmas spirit all the year thru is certainly meeting life's highest obligation.

That is really one of the great world needs for people to have "the Christmas spirit" all the year round. This means kindness and cheerfulness and generosity every day instead of just on December 25th or the preceding days. When the time comes that the Christmas spirit rules men's hearts at all seasons then will the ill of society and the world be well on the way to settlement and the time of "peace on earth, and good will to men" will be a tangible fact.

THE HOPEFUL VIEW

Sounding a warning against "theoretical" legislation in its possible effect on industry, John G. Shedd, president of Marshall Field & Company, declared present business conditions sound and predicted a year of "advancing prosperity" for the United States in 1923, in an address at the Hotel LaSalle, in Chicago.

"It is gratifying to record," said Mr. Shedd, "that the year 1922 will have ended in a prosperous one for business in general and the retail and wholesale dry goods business in particular. Many difficulties—some acute—have beset business, but the sound management so highly developed during 1921 inspired the succeeding year to such an extent that the many and tedious difficulties have been overcome.

"The future of America and the future of its business structure must depend on the strict and regular exercise of sound reasoning and judgment. The economic law of supply and demand should not be arbitrarily interfered with through theoretical legislation. If our Government exercises statesmanship, legislates wisely, and will be guided by sound and successfully tried principles, I can see prosperity advancing during 1923.

"Labor is fully employed at high wages. The farmer is now

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

Good Night!

By Berton Braley

WE say "Good night" in the living room
Three times, perhaps, or four,
We say "Good night" in the outer hall
As we linger about the door,
We say "Good night" in the vestibule
Some six or eight times more.

WE say "Good night" on the porch awhile
And then on the steps, of course;
We say "Good night" at the outer gate
And then—as a last resource,
We shout "Good night" as we start the car,
Though we're growing a little hoarse.

IT'S fun to visit and fun to play
At the home of a loyal friend,
But, oh, the time and the breath we waste,
And the energy we spend,
As we say "Good night!" "Goodnight!" "Good
NIGHT!"
Till it seems we will never end.

I LIKE to leave in courteous way,
But I'd like to fix it so
That when a party is finished up,
And the moment comes to blow,
I could shake my hosts by the hands and then
Say "Good night" ONCE—and go!
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getting better prices for his crops. The country abounds in money—in fact, conditions in this country are sound.

AFTER ALL, HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF.

(NEA)

If you think that the problems of city life are new and peculiar to our generation, ponder this: In New York City, 117 years ago this month, the retail price of stove-wood soared to \$21 a cord.

A great howl went up. Public and newspapers denounced the profiteers and demanded a return to the normal price of those times—\$11.50 a cord. Think of this when you groan over the coal bill.

Prices during the Napoleonic wars, and later during the Civil War, soared to almost exactly the same average level as we Americans had in 1920 on the eve of the big crash.

Then, as now, many wise-heads insisted that "prices can never go back as low as they were." Those generations back yonder at least didn't have to dodge autos? Worse still, judging from old accounts, were the galloping horses and wagons of bakers' boys and hucksters. The drivers were mostly wild young men, anxious to speed things up, and they were accustomed to climb down and beat up any pedestrians who objected to traffic hazards.

The Evening Post in 1805 called these dare-devil drivers "flying Meccas" and recorded that "to strike terror into the hearts of people on foot—they delighted to crash around the corners of narrow streets, at a breakneck gallop, careening on two wheels and splashing mud.

Difficult to dodge your way across city streets now. But it is not much more than 100 years since hogs in great droves ran at large in New York City upsetting pedestrians and swishing muddy water against fashionable ladies' skirts.

This state of affairs went unmolested until the swine took a fancy to lying around in Wall Street. Then the fire financiers rose up in their wrath and got action in the form of an ordinance against using the public highways for pastures.

You don't have to go back much further to find cities without sewage systems, all garbage and refuse dumped in the streets until rain swept it away. That's how the terrible plagues started. There was also a tax on windows, so high that the poor had to live in dark homes. Thugs had pretty much their own way, with few

police. Fire was a constant peril, only a bucket brigade to fight it. Since people first congregated in cities, they have howled and squirmed at the "awful conditions." These conditions are the penalty of city life. And conditions in every city are always at least five years ahead of what is being done to cope with them.

CHAPIN COTERIE HELD MEETING

Members Were Entertained by Mrs. Earl Fox—Fine Program Given—Two Chapin People Injured in Minor Accidents.

CHAPIN, Dec. 27.—The annual open meeting of The Coterie was held Wednesday at the spacious county home of George R. Fox with Mrs. Earl Fox as hostess. At one o'clock a bountiful baked chicken dinner was served with Mrs. C. H. Cowdin chairman of dinner committee assisted by Mrs. R. E. Nickle and Mrs. E. H. Nienhueser. About three o'clock a very pleasing program was given under the direction of Mrs. E. P. Joy and Mrs. Newton Wilson. The following program was given:

Group of Songs—I passed by Your Window, Crake; Dawn, Curran—Miss Amy Oaken.

Readings—A Woman's Description of a Play, They Met by Chance—Miss Helen Siddles.

Piano Solos—Selected—Miss Roberta Reid.

Readings—Chums; Her Folks and His; The Sin of the Carpenter Man—Miss Angie Joy.

Piano Solos—Waltzing Doll; Ours—Mrs. Newton Wilson.

James Nash is very ill, suffering with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Westerland of West Frankfort, Ill., were expected Wednesday night and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Ham.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sims of Galesburg and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Johnson of Chicago will arrive Thursday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bridgman.

The little son of Frank Tinson, living near Morgan, was thrown from a horse, a broken hip is the result the accident occurred last Saturday.

H. C. Anderson was the victim of a painful accident Saturday, a rope broke letting a heavy pulley fall striking his head, a large dose of stitches to close the wound.

MERRITT

The Merritt school has closure for a week's Christmas vacation. Miss Ella Hewk of Merritt bought a new Ford car this week.

Russel and Mildred Harvey were Christmas shoppers in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Chrisman and son Baird are visiting in Taylorville.

F. G. Harvey and family gave an oyster supper at their home Saturday night. Those present were S. W. Snow and family, G. W. Barry and family and A. F. Morris and family. The evening was sociably spent.

Orval Davis was a city caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lankford of Bluffs spent Sunday at the home of Jeff Harvey.

Miss Hester Korty is visiting home folks this week.

The picture at the Rialto's special 10c matinee this afternoon is dedicated to the police force, not only of this city but of the whole country, to show the true life and risks run by the officers.

FIRE WEDNESDAY EVE WAS PLCE BURNING OUT

The fire department received a call at 7:30, which led to the home of Mrs. Mary Quigley, 704 East North street. The chimney flue was burning out, and no damage was done.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL

Joshua Vasconcellos will go to Girard today to attend the funeral of Edward Hart, a member of the family with which Mr. Vasconcellos has long been on terms of intimacy. Mr. Hart died in Iowa and the remains were brought to Girard for interment.

C. B. & Q. SEEKS FACTS ABOUT LOCAL HOUSING

Beardstown Man Here Wednesday Interviewing Real Estate Agents—May Mean Purchase of Part of C. P. & St. L. By the Burlington Is in Prospect.

Mystery surrounds the visit to Jacksonville of an official of the C. E. & Q. railroad to find facts about the housing situation. This road representative was in the city yesterday and called upon C. O. Bayha and other real estate agents to ask about the possibility of securing houses for employees of the road if they should want to locate here.

No explanation of the inquiries was given other than that the road wanted to find out the facts about housing conditions in Jacksonville. The railroad man was informed that it is not easy to find desirable rental houses in Jacksonville now and that the shortage has continued for nearly two years past. At the same time citizens interviewed did not hesitate to say that if assurance is given of the coming of a number of railroad workers' families here to be permanent residents that local business men will take steps to organize a company and see to it that all needed houses are supplied. The opinion of real estate men and others is that there would be little trouble in financing building projects if the impetus of increased population be assured.

As indicated the visiting railroad man gave no explanation of his visit but he did say that he would return a little later to get still more accurate data. Since the Burlington officials stated several months ago that there is no idea of making Jacksonville a division point or of removing the shops from Beardstown to this city the thought naturally comes that the Burlington may be going to carry into effect the oft-repeated rumor of acquiring the Jacksonville-Havana branch of the C. P. & St. L.

The fate of the C. P. and St. L. is soon to be decided by the courts and the interstate commerce commission and the most frequently voiced theory is that the road will be cut into parts and absorbed by larger systems. It will be great for the C. P. and St. L. bondholders if that is done and nothing much better could happen to Jacksonville. We shall see, we shall see.

DAVIS SWITCH

Mr. and Mrs. Pitner Bell gave a Christmas dinner to a number of relatives and friends. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. "Doc" Butler and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Butler, Thomas Butler and family, Mr. and Mrs. James DeVoro, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leach, the Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Powell and son Frank of Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Grinnett and children and Mrs. Shoemaker of Ashland and Ben Reese of Jacksonville.

The Rev. Mr. Powell showed stereopticon pictures of Bible scenes Christmas afternoon, and there was a Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wolfe entertained their daughters and sons at a Christmas dinner. Those present were Misses Aileen and Leona Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. James Sank and Henry Wolfe all of Peoria, and Leo Wolfe of Harvey, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butler spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballington at their home, 767 North Bedford street, Jacksonville.

Claude Winters sold a fine drove of hogs averaging 267 pounds each at Jacksonville Tuesday.

RETURN TO CHAMPAIGN.

Mr. and Mrs. William Faugust and son Billie returned to Champaign Wednesday after a holiday visit with Mr. Faugust's mother, Mrs. Lydia Faugust, 888 East State street.

K. of P. 376

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CITY AND COUNTY

Clyde Chapman was in the city from Manchester on business Wednesday.

Mrs. George W. Craig of Woodson was engaged in a shopping tour in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mrs. A. J. Johnson of Alexander spent some time Wednesday in the city.

John Smith was an Alexander visitor to Jacksonville Wednesday.

Gus Immsheimer was a business visitor with J. Herman from Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Oakes of Bluffs were numbered with Jacksonville transient callers yesterday.

Mrs. T. M. Ratigan and son Phillip of Bluffs were among Wednesday visitors in Jacksonville.

Dr. F. A. Norris left yesterday for Rock Valley, Iowa, where he will spend a few days visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Norris.

E. H. Schulenberg has returned to Chicago after a Christmas visit with his mother, Mrs. F. Schulenberg of North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Butler and Mrs. E. H. Killam were lined among shoppers in Jacksonville yesterday from Bluffs.

Mrs. Wilbur Gibbs of Winchester made a trip to the city yesterday and spent the day with friends.

Miss Clara Devlin has returned to her home in the city after a Christmas visit with friends in Springfield.

Miss Alice Williams, head librarian of the Jacksonville Public Library returned yesterday from Cherokee, Iowa, where she spent Christmas at the home of relatives.

Miss Marian Galley returned to her home on Mound avenue yesterday after a holiday visit of several days with her sister in Litchfield.

E. J. Rawlings of East North street and John Hicks from east of the city left yesterday for Nankin, Illinois, on a business trip.

John Gruber of Virden is a holiday visitor at the home of his brother, Charles Gruber of East Lafayette avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rook and daughter have returned to their home in Kansas City after having spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Rook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rook on South Main street.

William Swales of California, who has been visiting for a number of days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leach on West College avenue, left yesterday for Winchester where he will make a visit with his nephew, Ed Leach.

Miss Nellie Lacey of Peoria is a visitor with her sister, Miss Tressa Lacey, who lives on West College avenue, Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Reid, surgical nurse, is confined with a severe cold to her home, 505 Jordan street.

Charles Lucht of Nebo visited his mother, Mrs. Roxanna Lucht and sister, Miss Daisy Lucht, at their home on East North street, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeSousa, and Martin and Fred DeSousa have returned to their homes in Peoria after having spent Christmas with relatives and friends in the city.

Patrick Ferreira returned Wednesday from Keokuk to his work with the Jacksonville Packing company, and his home on East College avenue after a pleasant Christmas trip.

Jeremiah Trahey, a member of the police force of Kansas City, has returned to his home after attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Charles Cobb, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rose of Ashland avenue have gone to Grafton, Ill., where Mr. Rose will be employed for several months. Mrs. Rose expects to return to the city soon.

W. E. Morrow of Alexander is in St. Louis this week undergoing treatment for rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley H. Wright returned Wednesday morning from a several days' visit in Chicago and Elgin, in the latter city visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Huber, former residents of Jacksonville.

Misses Clara and Bertha Allen have returned to Chicago after making a brief stay in Jacksonville. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rowe.

MORGAN

Henry Depner and Lee Robbins were Jacksonville visitors last week.

Mrs. Chas. Kendrick and daughter Clara are spending the holidays with relatives in Mt. Sterling.

Chas. E. Williams spent Xmas day with his son Wilbur and family near Markham.

Clyde Williams and family spent Xmas day with Mrs. Chas. Oakes, at Bluffs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bruening spent Sunday night and Monday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Rahe.

Henry Hamilton and daughters, Clarence Hamilton, wife, and baby, John Whisman, Dolphus Wroe spent Sunday at the Owen Hamilton home.

Bert Hill and family of Bethel left Wednesday morning for Ke-

wanee in his car, where they will visit relatives until after the holidays.

Miss Edna Hutchins, who is teaching at Kewanee is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchins.

Lloyd Anderson and Paul Sto who are attending Illinois college are spending the holidays with home folks.

Henry Hamilton and daughters spent Christmas day with Grandma Baker.

Lee Robbins and family spent Xmas day with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ben Robbins in Chapl-

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Coules, Mr. Chas. Kendrick and daughter Clara, were week end visitors in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester William spent Christmas day at the Christmas home near Winchester.

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MANY HOLIDAY PARTIES AT MURRAYVILLE

Social Events for People Young and Old Are Numerous—Baptist Church Revival Services Close.

Murrayville, Dec. 27.—The regular correspondent to the Journal wishes to inform its readers that the items which are duplicated from here are not sent by me, but by another party.

Messrs. Dean Lamb, Percy Loomis, Edward Wade and Miss Isabel Keller of Beards town, Miss Bertha Miller and Fary Lane of Browning, Ill., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lamb.

Russell Harms of Granite City came Friday and remained over Christmas with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Harms and sister Mabel Ruth.

The revival services which have been in progress for the past two weeks at the Baptist church closed Friday evening with six conversions and several additions to the church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Clemmons of Centralia are spending the holidays with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. H. U. Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Robinson were entertained at dinner Christmas at the home of Mr. Robinson's sister, Mrs. L. O. Goodrich and family in White Hall.

Horace Foreman of Carrollton spent Tuesday afternoon and night with Mr. and Mrs. John Osborne.

Thomas Ramsey of Huntington, W. Va., is here to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Lela Ramsey, and sister, Miss Eva.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fanning of Baylis were Xmas visitors at the home of Mrs. Fanning's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Osborne and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wesner and son of Jacksonville, Mrs. Nettie Million, Miss Marjorie Barton and Mrs. Margaret Hancock were guests at dinner Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wright and Mrs. Eliza Million.

Harold Cunningham and sister Miss Stella entertained a limited number of friends at a rook party Christmas evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fanning, of Baylis; Fred Masters of Lynnville, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stringer and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Reaugh Jennings of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jennings and daughters Misses Grace and Alma and S. F. Sooy and family spent Xmas Day with Mrs. Margaret Sooy.

The Ladies' Aid society remembered the "Shut-Ins" of the town Christmas eve with a nice box of cake, fruit, home made candy and nuts. A committee from the society, accompanied by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Harms, and

Stork Brings Twins to Royalty



Here are the first twins born in eight years to a member of the English royal family. They are little Lady Katherine Paget (left) and her tiny brother, the Earl of Uxbridge, the offspring of the Marchioness of Anglesey. This is the first picture to be taken of them and was snapped while they were having their morning airing in the park.

about 15 Epworth Leaguers called at the different homes of the "Shut-Ins" and presented these boxes and songs were sung and prayer offered by the pastor.

Mrs. Carrie Welke and daughter Florence returned to their home in Raymond, Ill., the last of the week after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. John Osborne.

Bert Haynes and sons of Virden spent Christmas with his mother Mrs. Martha Haynes and family.

Joseph Taylor and sister, Miss Minnie of Jacksonville, were guests Sunday of their sister, Mrs. H. B. Rimbey and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Strang and sons Maurice and Carey Francis spent Christmas with Mrs. Strang's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mortimer of near Woodson.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Waters entertained a number of relatives of Mrs. Waters at dinner Christmas day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Willis of Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mansfield and daughter of Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and daughter of Ceres, and Mrs. Fred Simpson and family.

Mrs. W. B. Rimbey and family went to Louisiana, Mo., Sunday to spend Christmas with her father, A. T. Fuller and family.

Miss Helen James is spending the holidays with relatives in Jacksonville.

C. F. Wright and family, J. W. Wright and family of White Hall, Mrs. E. T. Doyle and family of Jacksonville and Mrs. Maude Spahnower and family of Woodson were guests Christmas of their mother Mrs. Mary Wright and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rees Jones, N. C. Carlson and family, Harry Rimbey and family, Burt Millard and family and S. B. Jones and family enjoyed Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lemon.

Wiley Tendick of Kansas is here spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Hannah Tendick and other relatives.

RED CROSS WILL ELECT DIRECTORS

The annual election of directors of the Morgan County Red Cross will be held on Friday, December 29th, from 1 o'clock until 4:00 o'clock P. M., at the Red Cross headquarters in the library building. Sixty candidates have been nominated and out of these thirty directors will be elected for the coming year. The list of candidates have been previously published in the Journal and the ballots bearing the names of the candidates have been prepared. All persons holding membership in the Red Cross are entitled to vote on Friday.

BROOKLYN WATCH NIGHT BIBLE CONTESTS

The following prizes will be offered to the winners of the contests to be held at the Watch Night Service in Brooklyn church, Sunday evening, Dec. 31, from 9 to 12 o'clock:

For the best 500 word description written on any Bible character, A handsome Oxford Bible. For the best set of New Year Resolutions, written, A Cambridge Vest Pocket New Testament.

For the Longest Scripture Passage, repeated from memory, A Handsome Bible Art Calendar for 1923.

For any one repeating all the Books of the Bible in order from memory, A handsome Bible Art Calendar for 1923.

All contests are open to everybody.

G. W. Randle, Pastor

ENTERTAINED FOR ST. LOUIS GUEST

Mrs. Roy Hill entertained at cards yesterday afternoon at her home, 586 South Church street, in honor of Mrs. J. M. Hadden of St. Louis. Forty guests were invited and the afternoon was spent in playing whist. At the close of the cards an excellent luncheon was served. Among the out of town guests were Mrs. Dan Davis and Miss Lucile Watts of Pittsfield; Mrs. Maggie Quinn of St. Louis and Mrs. Ida McCree of Omaha.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their sympathy and kindness during the illness, and following the death of our dear mother, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Luter, also for the beautiful flowers.

THE CHILDREN.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dahman and daughter Mabel and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dahman, all of Prentice, were visitors in shops here Wednesday.

WILL HOLD FUNERAL OF MR. PRINCE TODAY

This afternoon will occur the funeral services of John Warwick Prince, one of Jacksonville's oldest and best known citizens. Mr. Prince was born July 15, 1841 at Mt. Vernon, Posey County, Indiana, the son of William and Martha Prince.

He was graduated from Washburn College in the class of 1861 and engaged some years in teaching in Illinois. In 1865 he married Miss Margaret E. Epler, the daughter of John Epler of Cass county. Two children died in infancy. After teaching some years he studied pharmacy. Upon finishing his course he took charge of a drug store at Princeton, Illinois. It was while living in Princeton that he became an active member of the Congregational church. About 20 years ago, when Mrs. Prince's health began to fail they moved to Jacksonville. Here Mr. Prince has for a number of years rendered service in Long's Drug store. He is survived by his sister Miss Theresa Prince. Mr. Prince has attended the Congregational and Westminster churches and has shown himself interested in all good movements. His has been a long life of usefulness. None who knew him will forget his genial manner and his sturdy faith and loyalty to the best things.

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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT UNITY CHURCH

Christmas Eve Woodson Presbyterian church members and friends enjoyed a very fine and rather unusual program. The customary tedious preparation for such a program was eliminated by making the affair purely informal inasmuch as any desiring to take part in the service notified a committee of the selection, the only pre-arranged part of program was the stereopticon pictures of Henry Van Dyke's "Other Wise Men."

The pastor, Rev. A. E. Powell and his wife were pleasantly surprised with the presentation of a purse of money from members and friends of the congregation. Santa Claus appeared at the close of the program and then gifts from the Xmas tree were presented to the folks present, among them was a beautiful picture to Mrs. John Hoagland from her Bible class, and three very large dolls to certain children. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the evening which concluded a very happy day of services.

Following is the program: Other Wise Men, Read by Miss Margaret Steinmetz, pictures shown by the pastor.

Song with lighted candles—Frank Powell.

Male Quartette—William Colton, George Cunningham, Fred Quimby, J. Chester Colton.

Recitation—Clyde Smith.

Duet—Mary Kathryn Sturdy and Margaret Cunningham.

Piano Duet—Misses Sadie and Lucille Butler.

Recitation—Clare Lynette Colton.

Recitation—Bernice Butler.

Primary Song—Robert Sturdy.

Frank Powell, Tom Quimby, Ny-lene Sturdy, Lula Adams, Doris Elaine Steinmetz.

Recitation—Doris Elaine Steinmetz.

Offering—Congregation.

Recitation—Helen Sturdy.

Reading—Phyllis Steinmetz.

Song—Congregation.

Entrance of Santa Claus with lighted lantern, etc.

Presentation of gifts.

Benediction.

COMMUNITY XMAS TREE IS ENJOYED

A community Christmas tree was enjoyed by sixty of Jacksonville's most needy children Saturday afternoon at Tabernacle Hall on South Main street.

The tree was arranged under the auspices of the West Side Art club, and was beautifully decorated.

Each child present was given a box of candy, an apple and some wearing apparel.

Much credit is due this club for its numerous charitable donations not only at yule tide but throughout the year.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hitt and Mrs. Hick's father, William Morris, all of Bluffs spent the time between trains Wednesday in inspecting local merchandise and making purchases.

SALVATION ARMY XMAS ENTERTAINMENT

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Salvation Army was held last evening at the Salvation Army Hall on East College street. There was a fine big Christmas tree and on it were gifts for the children which were distributed at the close of the Christmas program of music and recitations. Mrs. W. J. Boston and Lieutenant Weber were in charge of the entertainment and the following program was given:

Bible Reading—Lieutenant Hall.

Christmas Greetings—Nellie Cowden.

"Why Stars of Christmas Shine"—Frances Vincent.

Christmas Every Day—Margaret Frost.

Poor Dollie—Mildred Frost.

Red Rose Rope Drill—Lolita Centers.

Florence Hembrough, Fern McGlasson, Irene McGlasson, Edna Higgs, Frances Frogge, Dora Frogge, Edna Frogge and Elizabeth Fernandez.

Jolly December—Lillian Owens.

If You're Good—Marjorie Frogge.

A Telephone Message—Ivan Angelo.

Bright Stockings—Helen Fernandez.

If I Were Santa Claus—Robert Frogge.

How Does Santa Claus Do It?—Verna Cowden.

Song, "Dear Little Stranger"—Everyone.

"The Best Month"—Cecile Cole.

My Dollie—Dorothy Angelo.

Christmas Month—Henrietta Hurlinger.

Santa Claus—Marie Wilkinson.

Song of Christmas—Eula Dyer.

Duet—Frances Frogge and Jewell Wright.

Buying Christmas Presents—Mildred Souza.

Our Christmas Day—Alfred W. Kinson.

Recipe for a Merry Christmas—Hazel Smith.

Dialogue, "No Christmas in This Home"—Lieutenant Weber, Vivian Masters, Florence Hembrough, Cecil Brogan, Irene Frogge.

Santa Claus—Lillian Frogge.

Recitation—Gladys Cole.

In Santa Claus Land—Marie Lovell.

The Best Day—Loretta Stanley.

Too Much Christmas—William Angelo.

Dear Lord Jesus—Robert Brogan.

Christmas Cheer—Helen Feguerria.

Christmas Guest—Lieutenant Hall.

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SPENDING HOLIDAYS HERE

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FOURTHLY CLUB

Fortnightly Club will meet with Miss Josephine Morey, 220 Caldwell street, Thursday, Dec. 28 at 3 o'clock.

FRANKLIN RESIDENTS HOLD MANY REUNIONS

Franklin, Dec. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lukeman and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miles of Franklin were entertained Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sinclair near Yocmans. A big dinner and a Christmas tree for the children were the principal features of the evening.

The Bateman family held a Christmas dinner and reunion at the home of Jesse Bateman. Goose formed the center of the menu for the occasion. Practically every member of the family was present.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Watts was the scene of the annual Ryan reunion on Christmas day.

The annual reunion of the Sweet family was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sweet.

Miss Winifred Keplinger, who is a teacher in Tennessee, and Allan Keplinger of Chicago are spending the Christmas holidays visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Keplinger.

Miss Katherine Seymour of St. Louis is spending the holiday season as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Eades.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN NEW YORK

Word was received recently by George Ball of this city, that Dr. A. T. Clark of Amityville, New York died there some time since. Dr. Clark was buyer for the Insane Hospital during the superintendency of Dr. Winslow and was well and favorably known here.

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AN TO KILL ENTIRE CITY COMMISSION

(By The Associated Press)
COLUMBUS, Ga., Dec. 27.—This was stirred as it had not been years when announcement by locals was made today of the recovery of an alleged plot to blow up the homes of all five of the city commissioners an apartment house and a factory. The authorities have taken precautions to prevent the carrying out of the schedule of murder and destruction. The active plotters according to the police are about dozen men, criminals, anarchists and persons who are believed to be enraged over the strict enforcement of the prohibition law. They have in their possession more than 100 pounds of T. N. T., enough to wreck wholesale destruction, according to information in the hands of the city authorities. Tonight the homes of the five city commissioners, the largest building of its kind in the city and the factory of the National Show Case company of which Mayor J. Homer Dimon is president, are all under guard while the city is at a high tension.

COAL SALESMAN DIES IN SPRINGFIELD
Springfield, Ill., Dec. 27.—Alfred J. Halle, 53, district sales manager for the Peabody Coal company here, well known in the coal trade, died today following a brief illness. He formerly was in the coal business at Minneapolis and at Sheridan, Wyoming. He had resided in Springfield seven months, coming here from Minneapolis.

CASTOR OIL IS STUMBLING BLOCK

(By The Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 27.—The word "castor oil" decided the spelling championship of Illinois here today. It proved the fatal stumbling block for contestants in the state spelling bee. Miss Bernice Bishop, of Cuba, an eighth grade pupil spelled the word and won the match. Miss Golda Hankla of Golden ran her a close second but she failed on "castor oil." Norman Luster of Herrin was outclassed by the girls taking third place. The following four contestants tied for fourth place: Louise Burroughs, Sidell; Iona Green, Carrollton; Genieve Myles, Darwin; Loren Lewis, Benton. All of the leaders are eighth grade pupils, except Genieve Myles who is in the seventh grade. Forty six pupils entered the contest this morning and all were gradually eliminated until only Miss Bishop was left when the contest ended late this evening.

KILLS WIFE THEN COMMITS SUICIDE

Granite City, Ill., Dec. 27.—Frank Cantlon shot and killed his estranged wife, Pearl, and then committed suicide by shooting himself in the head following a domestic quarrel tonight at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary DePriest. Cantlon, who was being sued for divorce by his wife, went to visit his five year old son, Frank Jr. and endeavored to effect a reconciliation according to reports to the police. His wife who is employed as a waitress arrived home early in the evening in an automobile with an escort who explained he had taken her home because of the inclement weather after being threatened by Cantlon.

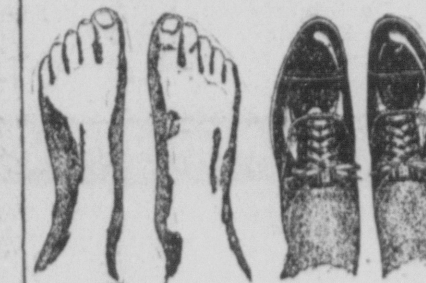
HEAVY SNOWS FOR NEW ENGLAND

Washington, Dec. 27.—Heavy snows in Northern New England and in Northern and Central sections of eastern New York with strong shifting winds and gales along the Atlantic Coast from Cape Hatteras northward are forecast for tomorrow by the weather bureau. This disturbance also has brought prospects of general precipitation tomorrow in the lower lake region the upper Ohio Valley and the middle and North Atlantic states.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION IN PEORIA KILLS ONE

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 28.—Following a terrific explosion the fire department was called to a row of shacks near the factory district at 2:30 o'clock this (Thursday) morning. The shacks are in flames. One man was found burned to death and several other bodies are believed to be inside. One man was taken to a hospital.

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Orvie Overall, old pitching star of the Chicago Cubs, is shown here getting into shape tossing the sour fruit on his California lemon ranch. It is rumored that Overall will return to baseball, assisting Frank Chance in coaching the Red Sox pitchers.

BRIEFS

(By The Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 27.—After shooting his wife and then himself, Louis Watkins, overcome by remorse at sight of her prostrate body, bound up a shattered arm and stopped a bleeding artery, thereby saving her life. Both will live. They had quarreled over a threatened divorce.

GALESBURG, Ill., Dec. 27.—James Trout, sixty, county mine inspector, dropped dead while eating lunch at his home this noon.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—The Pennsylvania company, the capital stock of which is owned by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., today declared its usual semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent and an extra dividend of 20 per cent, payable out of its accumulated surplus on Dec. 30, to stockholders of record Dec. 27.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 27.—Poison liquor is blamed for the death of Mrs. Ann Ernest, 53, by her doctor, who has asked an investigation by the coroner. He said she had drunk some whiskey while in Chicago three weeks ago. The doctor said the poison in the liquor was the slow acting kind and affected her vital organs. She died today.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 27.—Assistant Attorney General Boord today asked the circuit court here to order Governor Small and other defendants in the "civil suits" to make an immediate answer to the charges against them. The judge took the application under advisement.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 27.—John Ellinghouse, aged 25, met a frightful death this morning when he was caught on a fast revolving shaft at the Keystone Wire and Steel company plant. He was whirled over and over, nearly every bone in his body being broken.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The special District of Columbia grand jury before which the department of justice has presented charges of criminal irregularities in connection with the government's war time contracts, has completed its work and is expected to report before the end of the week. The jury has devoted its attention principally to evidence relating to the building of army cantonments.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 27.—There were 921,398 votes cast against the proposed new constitution, and only 135,298 votes for it, unofficial totals compiled by the secretary of state showed today. The official canvass will be held as soon as the governor returns to Springfield.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 27.—Thieves took practically every bit of the stock and a 499 pound iron safe of the Adolph Lauterbach confectionery in Bartonville, a suburb, here last night. The total loss was \$660. The safe was found battered open in a corn field. It had contained \$60.

OSHKOSH, Wis., Dec. 27.—After pleading guilty to embezzlement of \$637.35 from the Illinois Electric Co., of Chicago, F. A. Duxburg was sentenced today to one year and six months in the state penitentiary.

DAVENPORT, Iowa, Dec. 27.—C. H. Ficke, leading Davenport attorney and financier, has offered to give his collection of paintings, valued close to a million dollars, to the city on condition the municipality erects a suitable building for their preservation and display.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 27.—Major Malcolm Wheeler-Nicholson, recently court martialled for his criticism of the regular army, has been informed by the war department of his separation from the service. In a letter to President Harding, he charged that "prussianism" existed in the army. He later wrote a pamphlet entitled "Abolish the army or reform it."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Further increases in America's foreign trade were reflected today in figures compiled by the

department of commerce, showing exports of cotton and linens for November to have been \$58,337 bales valued at \$109,337,719. October exports of cotton totaled 798,664 bales valued at \$93,923,760.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—Eminent scientists, physicians and public officials were here today for the exercises in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Louis Pasteur, French scientist, who revealed the ravages of germs and methods of checking their spread.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Dispatches from Egypt today stress the anxiety of foreign explorers over the new law which M. Lacau, the Egyptian government's conservator of antiquities, is drafting, providing that all relics henceforth discovered shall belong solely to the government and that the discoverer shall be denied the right to a share in them as heretofore. A protest is being framed.

SPRING CANYON COAL COMPANY SOLD

Salt Lake City, Utah, Dec. 27.—The sale of the Spring Canyon Coal Company, one of the largest in Utah and said to be the most modern in the world, was announced today to James B. Smith and associates of San Francisco. The property is located in Carbon county, 125 miles south of Salt Lake. J. Will Knight of Provo, Utah, who was president and general manager of the company, did not give the amount involved in the sale.

WILSON WILL SPEND BIRTHDAY QUIETLY

Washington, Dec. 27.—Woodrow Wilson is expected to spend the greater part of his 66th birthday tomorrow quietly in his S. street home, tho it is understood he probably will receive a delegation during the afternoon. The Woodrow Wilson Foundation, it was announced tonight, will send a delegation to the residence of the former president at 3 o'clock to extend birthday greetings.

CARNIVAL COMPANY EQUIPMENT DESTROYED

Belleville, Ill., Dec. 27.—The entire equipment of the Mighty Doris Shows, a carnival company stopping near here, was destroyed by fire tonight causing a loss estimated at \$150,000. Fifty employees of the Company were asleep in Pullman cars near where the equipment was standing, but all escaped uninjured and the cars were saved from the flames.

PEORIA COUNTY MAN PRESIDENT

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 27.—Ernest J. Galbraith, state's attorney of Peoria county was elected president of the Illinois States' Attorneys association at its annual convention here today.

C. W. Reid, DuPage was elected vice-president and Roy Kilne, Champaign county, secretary-treasurer. The convention will end tomorrow.

BERGDOLL ENROUTE TO UNITED STATES?

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 27.—With the telegraphic announcement that Grover C. Bergdoll of Philadelphia the noted slacker had left Germany on a merchant vessel and was enroute to a gulf port and its crew was questioned here today.

It was later learned that the German Steamship Jupiter was about to arrive and that Bergdoll is a member of that crew. That he sailed is definitely announced by German authorities.

SCHOOL BOY SHOOT CHUM

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Everett Baker, 16 year old high school student, was killed today by a bullet fired aimlessly from a Christmas rifle in the hands of George Pyott, Jr., 16, of Oak Park. The boys were hunting near Elgin, Ill., according to word received here and Young Pyott fired at a corn shock not knowing his chum was concealed behind it. Pyott is a brother of James Pyott, captain-elect of the University of Chicago football team.

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AVIATORS FIND WRECKAGE OF BOAT

(By The Associated Press)
CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 27.—Sighting of wreckage of a boat today by two aviators of the air mail plane which were sent out from the government air field here to assist in the search for some trace of the tug Cornell and seven members of its crew, missing since last Thursday, marine men declared tonight might clear up the mystery surrounding the disappearance of the vessel.

The pilots, C. E. Johnson and E. M. Allison, reported that they had seen what appeared to be the hull of a ship about 75 feet long five miles east of Erie and a half mile from shore, H. B. Shaver, superintendent of the air mail field announced tonight. They stated that boiler pipes were above water.

Their one thought, the aviators told Shaver, was that it might be an old derelict. To settle this point both planes flew close enough to get a good view in the fog.

While they could observe ice on the rocks on the shore, they could see none on the derelict and this led them to believe that it might be the Cornell. Shaver said, "They concluded from the blackened appearance of the craft that it had gone thru an explosion, a fire or something of the sort. The heat from this, they said must have thawed the ice from the wreck."

Mrs. H. L. Griswold has gone to Quincy to spend a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. H. Wilson.

DR. BELL'S Pine-Tar Honey



Checks Coughs and Colds
Thirty years ago, grandma used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey for the coughs of all the family. Today, as yesterday, it is relieving the suffering of millions of little ones as well as grown-ups. It breaks up night attacks of coughing, loosens phlegm, soothes inflamed tissues. Keep a bottle on your shelf right through the bad weather. At any drug store.
Refuse substitute PINE-TAR HONEY. Insist on DR. BELL'S.

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Social Events

Entertain For
Read.
Mrs. Lillian I. Danskin entertained a few friends at her home West College avenue yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Helen Read of Kansas City who is a holiday visitor in Jacksonville.

The guest list included only a few of Mrs. Read's Jacksonville friends and the affair was a Christmas party. Christmas greens were actively used in the house during the afternoon refreshments in keeping with the holiday season.

Entertain Visitors.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGlothlin entertained a number of out of town guests yesterday at their home on Case avenue. Dinner was served at noon and the afternoon was spent in a pleasant way. The guests included Mr. J. J. Davis and children of Kansas City, and Mrs. R. C. White and children of Urbana.

Entertain Club.
Mrs. James Powers is to entertain the members of her bridge club this afternoon at her home on Grove street. This is the regular meeting of the club and three games will be made up for the afternoon. The favors and house decorations for the event will be in keeping with the holiday season.

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son. Among the out of town guests will be Miss Lucille Bolton who is teaching in Elkhart, Illinois, and who is spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bolton on South Diamond street.

Mrs. Hoffman Honored At Birthday Dinner.
Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffman of 720 East State street was honored at a dinner given yesterday noon at her home in observance of her seventy-seventh birthday. The affair was planned by Misses Lydia and Martha Hoffman and Mrs. Fred Brown, daughters of Mrs. Hoffman, who reside in Jacksonville. All of Mrs. Hoffman's children who were able to come to the city for the event were present. A delicious dinner menu was served at noon and the afternoon hours were spent in conversation and a general good time. A number of friends called at the Hoffman home during the afternoon to extend the best wishes to Mrs. Hoffman. Those who were in Jacksonville for this event were Mrs. Hoffman's sons, John Hoffman, of Springfield; Fred Hoffman, of Decatur, and Louis Hoffman, of Bloomington.

Holiday Dance Tonight At I. S. D.
Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson of Grand avenue are giving a dance this evening for their son, Clarence, in the gymnasium at the School for the Deaf. This is a holiday affair and about fifty young people have been invited. Dancing will be enjoyed during the evening and music will be furnished by the Crum orchestra. The gymnasium has been decorated for the occasion with Christmas greens and attractive holiday refreshments will be passed during the evening. Among the out of town guests will be Miss Olga Anderson of Virginia. Those who are assisting Mr. and Mrs. Peterson are Misses Mabel and Ethel Peterson, Miss Lillian Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mann, Colonel and Mrs. O. C. Smith, Elias Brainer and Miss Brainer.

Christmas Reunion Of Graham Family.
The family of J. W. Smith of Canan, Illinois, held a reunion on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Graham of East College avenue. This was the first reunion which the family had held for thirteen years and was attended by all the members of the family. An excellent Christmas dinner was served at noon and the rest of the day was

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devoted to visiting. Those who were present at the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and daughter of West State street and Leonard Smith and son, Harold, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Will Give Dance.
Miss Margaret Miller is to be the hostess at a delightful holiday dance this evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Miller on West North street. Sixteen couples have been invited and the young people will spend the evening informally with dancing and games. The holiday touch will be seen in the attractive Christmas decorations used thru the house.

Alexander Club To Meet Today.
The Alexander Woman's club will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Riddle. The principal feature of the program will be the annual Christmas grab bag, to which each member will contribute a gift. Roll call will also be held. The president, Mrs. Frank Foster, will be in charge of the meeting.
Mrs. J. T. Little will read a paper on "Strikes," and Mrs. Milton Ruble will also deliver a paper discussing the question "What shall we do for the unemployed?" Victrola music will also be a part of the program. A large proportion of the membership is expected to be in attendance.

Class Is Entertained With Oyster Supper.
The Young Men's Sunday school class of the Franklin Christian church were entertained with an oyster supper last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sweet. Twenty young men were present. Following the supper they enjoyed music and games. The teacher of the class is Miss Lou Duncan.

Christmas Dinner At Luckeman Home.
A Christmas dinner was served at the home of T. J. Luckeman, five miles north of Franklin. Roy Dyer and family; Earl Luckeman and family; Mrs. Maggy Long, a sister of Mr. Luckeman; Oyer White were those who helped to do justice to the big goose and all the good things that make up a Christmas dinner. The most enjoyable part for the five grandchildren was a Christmas tree loaded with presents for every member present. The only thing that kept the event from signaling a perfect day was the fact that the remaining son, Lloyd Luckeman, his wife and one daughter, Mrs. H. C. Cunningham and her husband, could not be present on account of the distance, but a fine box with gifts for all represented them.

Duck Dinner Given by Mr. and Mrs. E. Jones.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones, 1036 Dayton street, entertained a number of relatives at a sumptuous duck feast Christmas day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Curry and daughters Helen and Virginia, John A. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walters and son Richard.

DeGroot's Gave Christmas Dinner
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. DeGroot, living north of the city, gave a Christmas dinner in honor of their children. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William DeGroot of Jacksonville, Herman DeGroot, Alvin Sanderson and Miss Florence Hill, all of Chapin; Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Dixon and little daughter Elizabeth of Litchberry. Mrs. DeGroot served a splendid dinner with everything good to eat. The evening was spent with music and games, and at a late hour the guests departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. DeGroot a happy New Year and many more to come.

ATTENTION K. OF C.
Regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. Important business. Special entertainment. Big attendance desired.

CARD OF THANKS
Neighbors and friends joined heartily in giving us their assistance at the recent fire at our home on East College street. The aid given saved losses and we are deeply appreciative of the kindnesses and service.
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Relief Obtained
TESTIMONIALS:
Suffered 15 years with stomach trouble; only worked part of the time; ulcers developed; weeks in bed; first two tablets helped; now back at work full time. Writes Mr. Otis Prince Fairmount, Ill. Mr. H. M. Fehmel of Belleville, Ill. Claimed it cured him of indigestion, his wife of gastritis. Prof. Orval D. Tyner, Lane Tech School, Chicago, Ill. Two boxes restored his appetite and impaired nerves after attack of influenza.
Mrs. M. I. Tracy, Kalamazoo, Mich., formerly of Fort Wayne. After suffering for years with Neuritis, Zana Stomach Tablets not only relieved the trouble, but perfected a cure.
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FOSTER AFFLICTED WITH CRIMINAL INSANITY

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Arthur Foster held in connection with the disappearance December 12 of Mrs. Kate Miller Trostell, a widow is afflicted with a form of criminal insanity, Dr. Will Hickson of the municipal psychopathic laboratory reported today after an examination. The police working on the theory that Mrs. Trostell was killed have been unable to find her body in the drainage canal.
The police were not inclined to give much credence today to the story of John R. Shippie, also known as Decker, who told them he had seen the woman in Foster's automobile and that she was dead.
According to the police the man had made similar statements in other mysteries.

AMERICA SENT TEN DELEGATES

MQSCOW.—The delegates from the United States attended the recent congress of the Third International. They are said here to have come under assumed names, because, it is explained, of the "illegal standing of the Communist Party in the United States." Several of the delegates were accompanied by friends, so in all about 20 Americans were present at Moscow and Petrograd sessions.
Upon arrival here the delegates were put up at hotels by the International, and given books of coupons entitling them to three meals a day. They found it hard in the beginning, to adapt themselves to the meal hours of Moscow; breakfast from 9 to 11 A. M. dinner from 4 to 6 P. M., and supper from 9 to 1 at night.

WAVERLY

Waverly, Dec. 27.—Cyrus Curtis went to Bloomington Saturday to spend Christmas at the home of his son, Homer and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker of Williamsburg spent Christmas with Mr. Baker's mother, Mrs. Harriett Baker.
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Wilson went to Beardstown Saturday where they visited over Christmas at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Delbert Walker.

Miss Bess Bradford who is a member of the faculty of Rockford College, arrived Saturday for a holiday visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Nelle Bradford.
Mrs. Mildred Hoedlich and nephew, John Girdler, were callers in Springfield Friday.

Frank Lambert who is taking a vocational training course at the University of Illinois, is spending the holidays with his family.
Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Potts of Girard, spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Potts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rogers and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Rogers' parents at Sinclair.

Russell McMahon, who teaches at Homer, spent Christmas with his sisters, Misses Avis and Eva McMahon.
Oscar Miller, who is taking a course in business college at Saint Louis, has been visiting with relatives.

Guy Bradford, who conducts a dry goods store at Weslaco, Texas, arrived Saturday, for a holiday visit with his mother, Mrs. G. D. Bradford, and other relatives.

Edgar Reagel of Fairbury came home to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Reagel.
Glenn Hood of St. Louis, came up to visit over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Thorne and babe of Chicago, came home to spend Christmas with relatives.
Riley Garmon, who works at St. Louis, spent the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. Ida Wells and Miss Edith Turner went to Springfield Saturday and spent Christmas with relatives.
Rev. J. N. Thomas went to Williamsburg Tuesday to officiate at the funeral of the month-old babe of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dye.

Everett Moffet who is a student at the University of Illinois spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Moffet.

Many family reunions, the feature of which was a bountiful dinner, were held here Christmas day.

AT THE GRAND

"The Talk of the Town" the tabloid show at the Grand this week, is a pleasing large Jacksonville audience. A matinee was given Wednesday afternoon and two performances last night. The company is to appear again tonight and tomorrow night and Saturday matinee and night. It is a high class company ranking along with organizations for which much higher admission charges are usually made.
A change of bill is made nightly and the whole week's entertainment is one creditable to the management.
SOVIET RUSSIA MINES
4 1-2 TONS OF GOLD
Moscow.—Four and a half tons of gold was obtained by the Soviet government from its gold mines during the 12 months ended October 31.
The Lena gold fields alone yielded more than three and a half tons, while the remainder was obtained from seven other gold fields. The number of workmen engaged in these fields, according to the supreme economic council is 11,789.

First Woman Diplomat

Miss Lucille Atcherson, Columbus, first woman to be appointed to the United States diplomatic service, is shown taking oath of office administered by Attorney General John G. Price of Ohio. Miss Atcherson will stay temporarily at Washington.

WIFE OF TELEPHONE OFFICIAL DIES

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Ellen C. Sunny, wife of B. E. Sunny, chairman of the board of the Illinois Bell Telephone company died tonight after an extended illness.
Mrs. Sunny, who was widely interested in philanthropic work in Chicago, recently had returned from Italy where she had gone for her health.
Besides her husband, two daughters and a son survive. They are Mrs. George B. McKibbins and Mrs. Anthony VanWestra of Chicago, and Arthur E. Sunny of New York. Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 o'clock from the home.

BLUFFS

Bluffs, Dec. 27.—Mesdames E. D. and R. H. Beird came down from Chicago to spend the holidays with relatives.
Alvin Arnold of Clayton's the guest of his father, Horace Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd House and daughter Iona returned Monday from a three days' visit with relatives in Springfield.

Mrs. Ella Rockwood was called to Arenzville Sunday by the serious illness of her father, George Mathews who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Seckinger of Henry has returned to spend the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bergner and family.

Little Maxine Williams who has been quarantined at her home for the past three weeks on account of scarlet fever is out again.

Mrs. Charley Atwood and family spent Monday with relatives, returning to their home in Griggsville in the evening.

G. C. Rockwood and sister, Miss Helen of Springfield, came down Saturday afternoon for a short visit with their parents, B. F. Rockwood and family, the latter remaining until Tuesday evening.

Elmer Thorn of St. Louis, Mo., is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Maggie Thorn and sister, Miss Marie.

John Korty and family attended a family reunion at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Korty, Sunday.

Harry Geisendorfer spent Xmas with relatives in Pittsfield.

Royal Oakes has returned from Lewistown where he attended the funeral of little Robert Res in that city Thursday.

Charles Willis of the State University at Champaign arrived home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis.

Miss Barbara Bates of Versailles is spending the holidays with her brother, L. W. Bates and family.

FIVE KILLED IN CYCLONE

Vicksburg, Miss., Dec. 27.—Five negroes were killed early today when a cyclone wrecked their cabins on the Champion plantation between Bolton and Edwards, Miss., and destroyed four other small houses near Bakers' Creek two and a half miles east of Edwards. The victims are a negro tenant, his wife and three children. They were asleep when the cyclone destroyed their cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Buckthorpe are moving into the residence on Grove street purchased several months since from J. E. Osborne.

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Examination Date Fixed by Civil Service Commission—Community Christmas Tree Draw Great Throng.
White Hall, Dec. 26.—Notice has been posted today for postmaster examination at White Hall for filling permanent appointment as postmaster at White Hall and Winchester, both of which offices carry an annual salary of \$2,300. Other Illinois points to be filled by like examinations on the same date are Flora, Staunton and Vandalla, each of which pay \$2,500. Further information and application blank may be had on application to George P. Peters, civil service examiner, White Hall.

MANCHESTER

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Houck left Wednesday for their home in Rochester, Minn., after a ten days visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Tankersley and Miss May Greenwalt visited Henry Bell at Passavant hospital Tuesday. They found him improving in a satisfactory manner.

Miss Mina Greenwalt spent Sunday and Monday with her brother, Harmon Greenwalt in St. Louis.

The Willing Workers of the Christian Sunday school will have an oyster supper in the council room next Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis and family of near Franklin and Misses Esther and Verna Blakeman of Jacksonville were guests at the home of John Blakeman on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fitzsimons entertained a few of their friends at a rook party Tuesday evening. Those present were Misses May, Fay and Hazel Greenwalt, John Thady and Eugene Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Antrobus of Camp Point are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. F. S. Clark and sister, Mrs. George Cooper.

Mrs. Lennie Goacher and little daughter returned to their home in Jacksonville Wednesday after a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Greenwalt.

C. D. Chapman was in St. Louis Sunday.

Levi Summers has returned to Jacksonville after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chapman were shoppers in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Lakin returned to her duties at St. John's hospital in Springfield after spending the Christmas holidays with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrell entertained a number of relatives at dinner on Christmas day, the company including Connie and Margaret Dwyer, Mrs. J. L. Robinson of Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson and children; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson and children; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robinson and son Leonard, all of Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rochester and Miss May Cummings were Jacksonville visitors Tuesday.

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COACHES OPPOSE BETTING ON GAMES

Many Matters Are Considered at the Annual Meeting Now in Session in New York City

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The American Football Coaches' association at its second annual meeting today, want on record as strongly opposed to gambling in connection with college football or commercialization of their amateur fame by college gridiron stars who participate in professional games after being graduated.

Resolutions embodying this attitude framed along lines of the stand taken by the western or "big ten" conference were adopted by more than 100 gridiron coaches and athletic directors representing about 40 colleges and universities.

The association which closed its sessions tonight at a dinner also adopted a code governing fair play, good sportsmanship and coaching ethics as recommended by Alonzo Stagg, veteran Chicago mentor.

Chief among the features of

this code were demands for strict adherence to amateur rules, enforcement of rules prohibiting sideline coaching and discouraging all commercializing influences on the game.

Extensive discussion of rules, and problems developed no outstanding recommendations but special interest was manifested in two proposals, advanced to provide a means for settling games in which the teams are tied at the end of the regular playing period. No formal action was taken on either.

One suggestion, advanced by John W. Heisman, of Pennsylvania, provided that in event of a tie contest each team be given the ball for three plays the eleven gaining the most ground to be awarded an extra point and thereby the victory. The other scheme, proposed by Frank O'Neill, former Columbia coach, and endorsed by R. C. Zupke, of Illinois, among others, provided for award of a deciding point to the team which registered the most first downs during the game.

Some opposition was voiced to any change of this sort, but it appeared to be the consensus that tie games were unsatisfactory to

both players and spectators. Endorsed Rule on Try for Point. The new try for point after touchdown in effect during the past season for the first time and giving the team scoring a touchdown an option as to its attempt for the extra point from scrimmage on the five yard line was endorsed by the association despite opposition.

While no new plan for scoring the extra point was suggested several coaches expressed belief that it had developed into too much of an individual effort as was the case in the old kick for goal after touchdown, and that more of a team effort would be desirable. One recommendation involved application to the beginning of a game the same penalty for delay which now prevails for delay in starting the second half. The penalty for the latter offense constitutes elimination of the kickoff and giving to the offended team an option of putting the ball in play on the opposing team's 25-yard line or allowing the offending side to put the ball in scrimmage on its own 15-yard mark.

Suggestions that limits on the number of substitutions be placed, that coaches be barred from the players' benches or any part of the field and that touchdowns resulting from fumbles or intercepted forward passes be disallowed all were vetoed by the coaches.

A scheme for "teaming of officials" designed to secure greater efficiency, was turned down by opposition of Fielding H. Yost, coach and athletic director at Michigan. The session went on record as opposed to changing officials after they have been properly designated for contests and suggested that influence be brought to bear to secure a national association of football officials similar to the coaches' organizations.

Establishment by officials of a uniform code of signals for the convenience of spectators was advised, and a committee was authorized to work out such a code. Appointment of an official scorer, such as is done in baseball, was opposed.

A move to recommend organization of district associations in the far west and in the south was defeated because of a feeling that such branches would weaken the strength of the parent body. A proposal to bring into active membership high and preparatory school coaches also was rejected.

YANKEE EXHIBITION SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The New York Yankees today announced the following spring exhibition game schedule:

- With New Orleans, La., on March 11, 17, 18, 24, 25.
- With Brooklyn Nationals, New Orleans, March 31, April 1.
- At Meridian, Miss., April 2; Jackson, Miss., April 3; Vicksburg, Miss., April 4; Monroe, La., April 5; Shreveport, La., April 6; Dallas, April 7; Fort Worth, Tex., April 8; Oklahoma City, Okla., April 9; Tulsa, Okla., April 10; Muskogee, Okla., April 11; Springfield, Mo., April 12, and at Brooklyn April 14, 15 and 16.

Members of the team were ordered to report at New Orleans March 17.

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Five fistie titles changed hands during 1922. The year was featured by many pugilistic upsets. Jack Britton, holder of the welterweight championship, was beaten by Mickey Walker. It came as a great surprise, since only a few months before, Britton had decisively outpointed Lightweight Champion Benny Leonard, finally winning on a foul.

Joe Lynch regained the bantam title by defeating Johnny Buff in rather easy style. Buff, by the way, had a bad year of it, losing both the flyweight and bantam title, which he jointly held.

The new flyweight champion is Pancho Villa, the sensational Filipino boxer. Many of the experts



GREB LYNCH are convinced that Villa is a better boy than Jimmy Wilde, and is certain to defeat the great little English boxer if they ever meet. With such a victory would go the world title.

Harry Greb annexed the light heavyweight championship by his decisive victory over Gene Tunney. Greb had previously put a kink in the career of Tommy Gibbons by taking down the decision in a 15-round bout at Madison Square Garden. Greb's victory over Gibbons robbed the latter of a chance with Dempsey—arrangements for the bout having been practically completed.

Perhaps the biggest shock of the pugilistic upsets was the defeat of Georges Carpentier, idol of France, by Battling Siki—a comparatively unknown.

Johnny Wilson continues to hold the middleweight title because there are few, if any, states in which he can box.

The effort of Lew Tendler to



VILLA WALKER take the lightweight title from Benny Leonard resulted in a great fight but Leonard was returned the winner by a fairly comfortable margin.

Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion, is still the monarch of all he surveys. On no champion is the crown more secure than on the dome of fighting Jack.

Kilbane continues to dominate the featherweight division. He has done little or no fighting. Report has it that he is to meet Criqui, the European champion, on Decoration day, 1923.

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MOTORED TO GREENE. Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Wood of South Hardin avenue motored to Greene county Sunday to spend the day with Mrs. Wood's uncle, Rev. J. I. Moore and Christmas day with Mr. Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Wood, who live on a farm twelve miles east of Roodhouse.

Returning Christmas night, the Woods reported that they had never seen the roads in better condition at this time of the year.

I will not be responsible for anybody's debts except my own. J. CULP.

INSPECTS ROUTES

K. N. Evans engineer from the state department of public works was in the city Wednesday inspecting the two routes under consideration for the Jacksonville-Lynnville hard road to enter the city. Mr. Evans indicated no preference in the matter, but stated that employees of the state department would come here soon to make further investigations. It is planned to bring the road into the city by either the Mound avenue or the College avenue route.

FOURTH DOKAY

DANCE FRIDAY The fourth of this season's Dokay dances is planned for Friday evening. With the aid of Large's orchestra the lodge members and their guests anticipate a splendid evening of dancing, as previous evenings have been very enjoyable and popular.

WOODSON.

WOODSON, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence York and son, Orman, and Mr. and Mrs. William Galaway of Jacksonville spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. James Galaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and daughter, Ruth, were Christmas guests of relatives in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. William Riggs and family of Jacksonville visited Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Steinmetz. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barber and family motored to Booria Tuesday, where they were called on account of an accident to Edward Barber, who had his hand lacerated by a piece of machinery and had to have it amputated.

Earl Steinmetz of St. Louis is spending the holiday week with his parents in this vicinity. He is foreman of the cutting department in the Sugar Creek Creamery Co. in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hitch, Charles Taylor and Clyde Smith are among the guests at the Christmas dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elsie N. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Fisher and son, Lawrence, spent Christmas day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Graff in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos McCurley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vortices Blimling and family and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dean and little son, all of Woodson; Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCurley and children, of Jacksonville, ate Christmas dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCurley on South Main street in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Osborne took Christmas dinner with Mr. Osborne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Osborne, near Murrayville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Colton and daughter Clarice ate Christmas dinner with Mrs. Colton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gibson in Franklin.

In a recent issue it was stated that the Ladies Aid of the Christian church would soon complete a pledge of \$1540 toward the church basement fund. The amount was in error and should have appeared as \$1450.

Pupils of Miss Marguerite Steinmetz at Central Point school gave a Christmas program recently at the school. The mothers of the pupils were present and all very much enjoyed the program. Santa Claus and a Christmas tree added greatly to the interest of the occasion.

Edward Smith is visiting relatives in Jacksonville this week. Miss Marguerite Steinmetz is regretting a painful accident which befell the horse on which she rides to school. The animal's foot was badly cut on a barbed wire fence Wednesday afternoon. The injury being so severe that the services of a veterinary from Jacksonville were required.

ATHENSVILLE CAR BURNED XMAS DAY

A Christmas afternoon ride was the last service performed by a motor car belonging to Mrs. W. C. Prather, before it caught fire in the garage of the Prather home two miles west of Athensville, destroying car and garage and badly scorching the house.

The house was saved from worse injury from the flames by the aid of neighbors, who fought the flames with buckets. The origin of the fire was not known, although it was supposed that a leak in the gasoline line may have contributed to the cause of the conflagration.

NOTICE Painters Union No. 515, meeting 7:30 Friday evening, Dec. 29.

MRS. JOE WHEELER HAS BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler of North Prairie street entertained Wednesday evening at six o'clock dinner in honor of Mrs. Wheeler's birthday. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turner of St. Louis and Mr. Gloucester Hobbs of Louisiana, Mo. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herman, Mr. and Mrs. David Douglas and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Loungs. All present spent a most enjoyable time, and on their departure wished Mrs. Wheeler many returns of the day.

MISSOURI PEOPLE VISIT LUCKEMANS

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hocker and son Glenn and Edwin Hocker of Drexel, Mo., paid a short holiday visit at the homes of Earl Luckeman, T. J. Luckeman and Roy Dyer. Mrs. Hocker is the adopted daughter of Lloyd Luckeman of Archie, Mo. During their stay the visitors did their Christmas shopping, taking advantage of the gift campaign.

ELDER PINKSTON WILL BE HERE

Elder P. Wallace, in charge of the Church of God in Christ tabernacle in North West street, announced last night that Elder Pinkston and wife would be here Thursday evening to assist in the services. The tabernacle is kept warm, everybody welcome.

THE MISSES FAUGUST MAKE TRIP TO OKLAHOMA CITY

Miss Nellie Faugust and Miss Hulda Faugust of 888 East State street are leaving this evening for Oklahoma City for a fortnight visit with Misses Catherine and Dorothy Thompson, formerly of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tunis have returned from Virginia, where they spent the Christmas holiday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Belcher.

LOAN ADDRESSOGRAPH MACHINE TO C. OF C.

Jacksonville Railway and Light Company Lets Business Organizations Have Machine—Saves Time in Sending Out Letters.

The Jacksonville Railway and Light company has loaned an Addressograph machine to the Chamber of Commerce for an indefinite length of time. The Light company recently changed its system of mailing out statements to its customers and the machine is therefore not in use.

Name plates, containing the names of the 550 members of the Chamber of Commerce have been received from the Addressograph company and the machine will be put in operation at once. This machine will result in the saving of four hours of work every series of letters sent out to the Chamber of Commerce membership. News letters are sent out to all members of the organization every ten days and this new system of addressing the envelopes will save approximately 12 hours of work each month.

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MOVES TO NEW HOME T. H. Buckthorpe who with his family has been residing in the Lander property on West State street, today moved to the J. E. Osborne residence on Grove street which he purchased several months ago.

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HELD FAMILY DINNER AT HEMBROUGH HOME

Large Gathering of Relatives on Christmas Day—Special Program at Asbury Church

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hembrough and son Billie of Peoria and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hembrough were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Hembrough. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Megginson and family of Prentice, Mr. and Mrs. John Cully and family and George Hembrough and daughter Marie attended the family reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hembrough Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilson of Point were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Craig and son Delos and daughter Brenda spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. George Kellar in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Reynolds and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hembrough and son Wallace Jr., attended the family reunion held at the home of Gates Strawn Christmas day.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Hembrough on Christmas day. At noon a bountiful turkey dinner was served. During the afternoon Santa Claus came and invited all into the east room where stood a beautiful Christmas tree with many useful and pretty presents. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Megginson and son Charles and daughter Eula of Markham, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bealmeier and son Waldus of Sinclair, Mrs. George Hembrough, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Megginson and son Howard and daughter Rowena, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winter and daughters Alma and Inez, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hembrough.

A very nice Christmas program was given at Asbury Sunday school last Sunday morning, after which the officers of the school gave every pupil of the school a Christmas box of candy.

Song, by the School—"Joy to the World."

Recitation—Mildred Reynolds.

Recitation—Alta Helliwell.

Recitation—Virginia Reynolds.

Reading—Alleen Hembrough.

Recitation—Leona Helliwell.

Solo—Virginia Reynolds.

Recitation—Merle Helliwell.

A Christmas Story—Elizabeth Hembrough.

Jonathan apples, a special this week, bushel \$1.50 at Cannon Prod. Co. Phone 197.

WOODSON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible school at 9:30 a. m., J. H. Shirley, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "The 11th Hour Man and What?" Junior congregation meets at 11 a. m., Mrs. Fuller, Supt. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m., Miss Maurine Self, Leader. Preaching at 7 p. m., "Arise and Be Doing." You are invited. The morning theme is by request. Come and hear it discussed.

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BROOKLYN SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTION

All members of the Brooklyn Sunday School Board, including all Sunday school officers and teachers, will meet at the residence of J. H. Reid, 235 West Greenwood Avenue, Thursday evening, Dec. 28, 7:30 o'clock for the annual election of officers and teachers for 1923.

G. W. Randie, Pastor.

Fresh strawberries at Cannon's. Phone 197.

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EX-SERVICE MEN ARE REMEMBERED

Various Organizations See That Every Man in Made Happy—Christmas Trees Feature at Oak Lawn and Jacksonville State Hospital.

The ex-service men in Jacksonville hospitals were not forgotten at Christmas time. The American Legion and other organizations in the city saw to it that every world war vet in the hospitals was remembered and as a result the Christmas spirit was carried to every place in Jacksonville where there are any wounded or disabled vets.

A gay Christmas party was held at Oak Lawn on Saturday night. There was a huge Christmas tree lit with colored lights and trimmed with gay ornaments. Santa Claus was there and it took over an hour to distribute the gifts. Large's orchestra was on hand and played a program of popular and much appreciated music. The donations of gifts, fruit, candy and other good things were received from the Woman's Auxiliary of Arendville, the Junior Red Cross at Red Cloud, Nebraska, the American Legion, the Knights of Columbus and the Woman's Relief Corps. The Christmas tree was planned by Dr. Martini and Miss Webster, head nurse at the sanitarium. Members of the American Legion assisted at the party.

Members of the local American Legion went out to the State hospital Sunday afternoon and gave a Christmas party for the ex-service men there. The Knights of Columbus and the Woman's Relief Corps helped in giving the party which was thoroughly appreciated by the 143 ex-service men at the hospital. There was a fine big Christmas tree, gifts for all the bays and an interesting program of Christmas music. The legion also remembered two ex-service men out at the Norbury Sanitarium on Christmas.

Anna G. Bergschneider Insurance Phone 737

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

The bazaar given at the Second Baptist church by Mrs. Ida McCree and Mrs. Margaret DeWitt-Sanders, Dec. 20 and 21 was a decided success.

Many beautiful articles were disposed of and the church benefited by their sale.

Saturday evening the Sunday school of Second Baptist church presented the cantata Santa to the Rescue in an excellent manner to quite an audience.

The characters were taken from the junior classes and primary department and each and all showed how thoro had been their training by Miss Laura Lafayette the superintendent and Mrs. Margaret DeWitt Saunders.

After the program Santa Claus remembered each one present with a token from the Sunday school.

Also there was a tree upon which many had placed personal gifts for friends.

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ENTERTAINED AT CHRISTMAS DINNER

Rev. H. H. DeWitt and daughter Mrs. Margaret DeWitt Saunders entertained Christmas day at their home at a five course dinner for Mrs. John McCree their guest, of Omaha, Neb. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Young, Mrs. Mary Banks, John Dunn of Springfield, Ill.; Mrs. Charles Burghart of Greenfield, Ill., and Mrs. Frank C. May of Tuscola, Ill.

CARS \$35. to \$125.

Several good used cars at the prices named. Come see them.

BERGER MOTOR CO.

FARM BUREAU TO DUN FOR DUES UNPAID

The collection of all outstanding dues is the object of a committee of three appointed by President Charles S. Black of the Farm Bureau upon the unanimous vote of the executive board that the dues be collected. The members of this committee, J. W. Arnold, George Deltrick and C. R. Gibson, will hold their first meeting at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the bureau office.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS OUT

The Christmas issue of the College Greetings, published monthly by students of Illinois Women's college, is just out. The season's spirit is radiated in the stories, sketches, essays and verses included, and an especial feature is a pen sketch of the college "mob" beating a retreat from the campus for Christmas vacation. The picture is labeled "Dec. 21, 1922."

Sweet Cider for New Year's W. S. CANNON PROD. CO. Phone 197

REV. WALLACE ATTENDS MEETING IN CHICAGO

Rev. J. L. Wallace, pastor of the M. E. church at Concord, left last night for Chicago, where he is attending a meeting of the board of trustees of the Anti-Slavery League. Rev. Wallace represents the Illinois conference on the board.

Mrs. Mary Sterrette, who has been in the city attending the funeral of a relative, has returned to her home in Chicago.

WATCH NIGHT SERVICE AT CENTENARY CHURCH

Old Fashioned Event Will Be Held Under Auspices of Loyal Men's Bible Class.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend and take part in an old fashioned good fellowship Watch Night Service at Centenary church, Sunday night, December 31st.

The regular church service will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. D. Robertson, after which the Loyal Men's Bible Class take charge of the service and the following program will be carried out:

Roll Call and response by members of the class.

General song service of old time songs.

Reading—"The Boys"—Geo. W. Weber.

Social Hour

"Review of development and work of the class" by A. C. Metcalf.

"The Class as it is at present" by Edgar Reynolds.

"Future outlook and aims of the class" by C. A. Fiedler.

"Address" by the teacher, C. S. Smith.

Sermon by Rev. W. J. Weber of I. W. C.

Exhortation by Geo. W. Weber.

An altar consecration service. Come and enjoy this inspiring service and watch the closing of the old year and the dawning of the New Year.

CAKES AWARDED TO PATIENTS AT BALL

Large Number of Patients and Employees at State Hospital Enjoy Masquerade—Three Costumes Take Prizes.

The masquerade held Wednesday evening for employees and patients of the Jacksonville State hospital was a great success. Two dances were given, one for the patients at the Annex and the other at the main building. After 9 o'clock the employees' dance was on at the main building.

Music was furnished by the hospital orchestra. Three cakes were awarded as prizes to the persons wearing the three best costumes on the floor. One cake went to Hugh Chiddix, an ex-service man from the Federal Training Center, who was dressed as a young girl. He had a clever makeup and with some skillful acting to carry his part, easily took off the prize. Another cake was awarded to a patient, Miss Jessie Carroll, and the third went to Mrs. Lola Tinch, an employee, who was made up as a man and wore a full dress suit.

All patients and employees attending the ball were masked and about one hundred were present. The dance was given as a part of the program for the Christmas week entertainment at the hospital.

BANQUET TONIGHT IN HONOR OF J. S. FINDLEY

A farewell banquet for J. S. Findley, who has resigned his position as secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., will be given this evening by the Hi Y club at the Central Christian church. The banquet will be served by the ladies of the church at 6 o'clock, following which there will be a program of toasts and a principal speech by Rev. M. L. Pontius, who will talk on the need of a Y. M. C. A. in Jacksonville.

Alumni members of the Hi-Y club and members of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. are invited to the banquet, and a total of one hundred persons are expected to be present. An effort will be made to initiate a renewal of association activities in this city.

BASKETBALL Friday night 8 o'clock. Elks vs. Franklin Indees. David Prince Gym.

TAKE TWO PRISONERS TO CHESTER TODAY

Ben Logan who entered a plea of guilty to a forgery charge and Harry Proctor who entered a plea of guilty to burglary charge will be taken to Chester penitentiary today to begin serving the terms to which they were sentenced. The prisoners will be in the custody of Sheriff Oyer Wright and Deputy Sheriff Henry Strawn, who will be accompanied on the trip to Southern Illinois by Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Strawn.

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Mrs. Margaret Martin to Effie Walter, its 2 etc., Lorton & Kedzie addition to Jacksonville, \$3,500.

RETURN FROM CAPITAL.

Mrs. Chester Sharpe of 403 West College avenue and Mrs. Josephine Arisman have returned from a Christmas visit with Mrs. William Arisman in Springfield.

"S. & H." GREEN STAMPS AND GIFT COUPONS

Until Jan. third on every dollar coming into our store—cash sales, old accounts, contract accounts. Don't miss this chance to make your dollars do a big thing for you.

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ELKS MAKE MERRY WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Had Social Session Following Regular Meeting—Several Boxing Bouts By Members.

Following the regular meeting of Jacksonville Lodge No. 682 B. P. O. E. Wednesday evening the members enjoyed a social session. There was a large attendance of members and the affair was voted one of the most successful ever given by the order.

The committee in charge was composed of Walter W. Wright, chairman; C. J. Wright, Stanley Wright, Basil Sorrells and Harry Cain. The success of the affair was largely due to the efforts of this committee. Those who were not present missed one of the best treats of the season.

Three boxing exhibitions were scheduled for the evening, all between members and showed that the lodge possesses some excellent boxers, most of them having learned the manly art while in service during the world war.

The first bout of the evening was between Murvin Ator and Charles Kahl and went five rounds. The men put up a pretty exhibition and the referee, Harry Cain called it a draw.

The second bout was between Alfred Kiel and Ed Drummond, light weights and was scheduled for three rounds. The men also furnished a good bout which resulted in a draw.

What promised to be the best bout of the evening was the heavyweight contest between Ealy and Sheffield. The weights were announced as 300 pounds for Ealy and 125 for Sheffield. As the latter had agreed to weigh in at 100 pounds Ealy's manager protested the weight and claimed Sheffield's forfeit and the match was not carried out.

At 11 o'clock a male quartet from the Talk of the Town Company appearing at the Grand composed of Messrs O'Neil, Doyle, Roberts and Black with their accompanist Mr. Coffey appeared at the Home and entertained the members. Some of the members of the quartet are Elks affiliated with lodges in other cities and donated their services free of charge. A number of the selections were given and the members expressed their appreciation of the courtesy extended.

Following the entertainment a luncheon was served. Taken all in all the affair was a most pleasant one and greatly enjoyed by all.

At the business session the basketball situation was discussed. It was called to the attention of the members that the opening game of the season will be played in David Prince Gymnasium, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock with the Franklin Independents. The Franklin team has been organized for several years and always has a good aggregation and a close game is expected. On the afternoon of New Years day a game will be played with the Deatur Socials. This team is said to be composed entirely of former Millikin men and this contest should be one of the best of the local season.

DEATHS

Oldridge.

Mrs. Eliza Jane Self Oldridge died at 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning at her residence, 114 Dunlap street. She had been in poor health for some time and had reached the advanced age of more than 78 years, having been born June 3, 1844. She is survived by two sons, Oscar and William Oldridge, and one daughter, Mrs. Daisy Sweet, all of Peoria, and one step-daughter, Mrs. Lou Shafer of Ashland, Mrs. Sarah Holman of this city is her sister.

Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Friday morning from the Gillham Funeral Home, Rev. M. L. Pontius officiating.

Mrs. Ivan Smithson of Jacksonville is enjoying the Christmas holidays with her parents and other relatives here.

William Moore, living between Alsey and Manchester, passed away Tuesday following a week's illness from paralysis. The funeral will be held at 1 o'clock Thursday from the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl O. Gordon and Mrs. Gordon's mother, Mrs. Cline of Woodson, made a Christmas visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neat and little son and daughter left Wednesday for San Antonio, Tex., where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Nora Fundel passed away Wednesday noon at her home in Glasgow, after a week's illness with pneumonia. She is survived by her husband and a number of other relatives. The deceased is well known in the county and many will regret to learn of her death.

No arrangements for the funeral have been made.

Miss Virginia Hains further delightfully entertained a number of young ladies Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Cortelyou McLaughlin. It was a miscellaneous shower and the bride received many nice gifts. Delicious refreshments were served during the hours.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Stenographer; state age, religion and experience. Address D. N. G., care Journal. 12-28-4t.

FOUND—Saturday, fur neck piece, entrance Loop Cafe; owner can have same by proving property. Mr. Case, Douglas Hotel. 12-28-2t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms; modern. 320 West Court. 12-28-4t

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bradish are in the city for a few days visit with Mrs. W. C. Bradish at 829 West State street. Mr. Bradish has for several years been associated with the Compton Publishing company and is manager of Mississippi valley territory. The company is one of the most extensive publishing concerns in the United States.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. George McKean and children of Woodson, were recently entertained at dinner at the home of Mrs. Frances McKean of South Jacksonville. It was very pleasant family party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Douglas of Franklin called in the city Wednesday to make purchases.

THE picture at the Rialto's special 10c matinee this afternoon is dedicated to the police force, not only of this city but of the whole country, to show the true life and risks run by the officers.

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| Ribbed Wool and Silk in beautiful heather shades | \$1.00 |
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All Sizes, 9 to 13

MYERS BROTHERS

WINCHESTER GIRL A DECEMBER BRIDE

Miss Agnes Smithson and Cortelyou McLaughlin of Alsey United in Marriage in Springfield—Other Winchester News.

Winchester, Dec. 27—Many friends will be surprised to learn of the marriage of Miss Agnes Smithson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Smithson, to Cortelyou McLaughlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. McLaughlin of Alsey. The marriage occurred in Springfield Saturday.

The bride is a graduate of the Winchester high school in the class of 1922. She is a general favorite among the younger set and her many friends will unite in good wishes.

Mr. McLaughlin has resided in or near Alsey all his life and several years ago attended the military academy in Alton. He is well and favorably known in the Alsey neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin begin their wedded life under very auspicious circumstances.

CIRCUIT COURT ORDERS

Judge E. S. Smith presided in the circuit court yesterday hearing motions in several cases. Late in the afternoon adjournment was taken until Friday.

The final case considered was that of Henry J. Rodgers vs. Edith et al. which has been pending thru several terms. The case was taken under advisement.

In the trespass suit in the case of W. H. Rohrer, administrator of the estate of Fred Ford vs. Forrest Edwards motion for a new trial was denied and judgment was entered on the verdict for \$113.50.

In the bill of Charles Smith vs. Ennis Patten et al. brought to set aside will, motion for a new trial was overruled. This is the Brainerd case.

In the divorce suit of George Williams vs. Anna Williams the hearing on the attachment ordered to issue was continued.

In the divorce suit of Lella T. Reynolds vs. John G. Reynolds decree of divorce was granted and the cause stricken.

ODD FELLOWS HOLD DISTRICT MEETING

Degrees Given Local and Out of Town Candidates—Grand Patriarch, Grand Scribe and Four District Deputies Present—Oyster Supper Served.

The hall of Ridgely Encampment No. 9, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, was the scene of a district meeting Wednesday night. The Patriarchal and Golden Rule degree work was given for a number of candidates presented by Ridgely Encampment No. 9, Temple Encampment No. 19, and Mt. Vernon Encampment No. 7 of Beardstown.

The Grand Patriarch, Forest B. Gore of Champaign and the Grand Scribe, Sam J. Baker of Olney, were present, as well as four district deputies, W. M. Nichols of Hillsboro, H. B. Wilson and R. J. Forgy of Galesburg, and S. A. Blankenship of Springfield and representatives from several other towns. An oyster supper followed the work and various representatives of Encampments were heard from. S. A. Blankenship as representative of the Springfield canton, urged the organization of a Jacksonville canton.

The Beardstown Encampment sent as representatives Edward Brockhouse, John M. Buckingham, H. H. Korte, J. L. Haley, J. H. Blimling, J. B. Selders and Al E. Deatherage. George Allen represented Virginia and Fred Battlett Griggsville.

The degree work was captained by Dr. S. J. Carter of No. 9 and E. E. McPhail of No. 19 for the Patriarchal and Golden Rule degrees respectively.

The following men presented by Mount Vernon Encampment No. 7 of Beardstown took the degrees: Henry H. Hays, A. B. Nance, Lee L. Harris, Homer L. Lewis, Lee R. Irvin, Roy M. Stice and George B. Hymen.

Temple Encampment No. 19 had one candidate, Eulin A. Hall, and Ridgely Encampment offered Charles Goodey and Charles Baisley of Ridgely Encampment and Roy DeFrates and C. O. Bayha of Temple Encampment.

ATTENTION K. OF C. Regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. Important business. Special entertainment. Big attendance desired.

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BASKETBALL Friday night 8 o'clock. Elks vs. Franklin Indees. David Prince Gym.

LEFT FOR EVANSTON.

C. E. Crawford left for Evanston Wednesday after a holiday visit during which he attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ell W. Crawford 289 Sandusky street.